



Miners and women from the local support group came out to meet the Swansea-to-London marchers when they arrived at the Merthyr Vale pit carrying placards bearing the faces of Dean Hancock and Russell Shankland, the two young South Wales miners jailed for life — More pictures and reports, pages 6-11

**Miners must consider strike action — Scargill**

# CORTONWOOD TO CLOSE

**MINERS must again consider strike action, NUM president Arthur Scargill urged yesterday shortly after a second death sentence was passed on Cortonwood colliery in Yorkshire.**

He called for industrial action by the rest of the trade union movement in the fight for jobs and for the very existence of trade unions themselves.

The strong statement followed the announcement of two more closures in the South Yorkshire area, including Cortonwood, whose threatened closure last year triggered the miners' 12-month struggle against the Tory government.

Cortonwood's year-long picket line was called 'The Alamo' and became a symbol of the fight to stop pit closures.

'Faced with the latest threat,' Scargill said, 'the

BY BEN RUDDER

miners have a simple choice.

'They either accept the destruction of the coal industry or they fight to save pits, jobs and communities.

'The struggle of the last year must not have been in vain. Britain's miners must, yet again, consider industrial action.

'At the same time, the trade union and labour

movement must support and join that action to save not only the mining industry, but trade unionism itself.'

Scargill described the latest series of closure announcements around the country as 'butchery'. Over 20,000 redundancies have been announced since the end of the strike in March.

Yesterday the Coal Board passed the death sentence on two more Yorkshire mining communities. It wants Cortonwood and Brookhouse pits shut by the end of this year.

The announcement also included job losses at Dinington, Manvers and Wath Main pits, bringing the tot-

al in South Yorkshire alone to 2,800.

In the past three weeks, the Yorkshire area NCB have demanded a job cut of 10,000. Barnsley area faces 3,000 redundancies, Doncaster 2,500 and North Yorkshire 1,000.

In Co. Durham, Horden Colliery is to close and

Bates' is being shut in Northumberland with a total loss of some 2,600 jobs.

'The pit closure programme announced by the National Coal Board over the last few weeks indicates clearly the board's determination to butcher the mining industry,' said Scargill.

## Closures

'The scale and viciousness of the closures and job losses revealed by the board prove that — just as the NUM warned all along — the NCB and the government have misled not only the miners, but the British public.'

Yorkshire NUM president Jack Taylor said: 'We knew there was going to be some price for not succeed-

ing in the dispute.' He said a Yorkshire area council meeting, due for a week on Monday, might now be brought forward.

'We've got to get together to see what we can do to defend this industry and we shall do that through the branches, area and national level of the union.'

Asked if he thought there would be any industrial action after these announcements, he said: 'We are keeping all our options open. I'm not suggesting industrial action — it's an option.'

● There are fears of further pit closures when the South Wales NUM leaders meet the local NCB on Monday. Rumours have put the number of possible closures as high as five pits.

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# 'High Noon' weekend for 'Morning Star'

WHICH-ever faction wins the struggle for the control of the hijacked 'Morning Star' this weekend, the fact remains that the Stalinist daily is in desperate financial straits.

The contest is between the 'Euro-Stalinist' majority who are now firmly in charge of the Communist Party and the so-called 'hardliners' whose operational headquarters are at the 'Morning Star'.

The party leadership won a two to one mandate from last month's special congress to wrest control of the paper from expelled 'Morning Star' editor Tony Chater and his faction of expelled and suspended members.

Both sides have engaged in an expensive mobilisation to make sure of a maximum turnout of their respective followers. One miner observed: 'Pity they didn't spend the same amount of energy organising pickets and support for our strike.'

The 'Morning Star' Fighting Fund has failed to meet its target for 12 successive months and

BY ALEX MITCHELL

circulation has dropped by more than 700 per day.

For the past three years the Stalinist daily has sold more papers to the Soviet Union and Eastern Europe than its distributors through the wholesalers in Britain.

The fall in revenue and circulation has coincided with the colossal expenditure of almost £1 million on a new Goss Urbanite press from the American-owned Rockwell Corporation and its installation in Farringdon Road.

## Payments

Now that the press has been installed, the PPPS is committed to monthly payments to the leasing company which put up the finance for the new equipment. The money is to be generated by commercial printing, but so far none has been carried out.

PPPS secretary Mary Rosser told last year's annual general meeting: 'The machine will be purchased via a seven-year leasing agreement. This will involve repay-

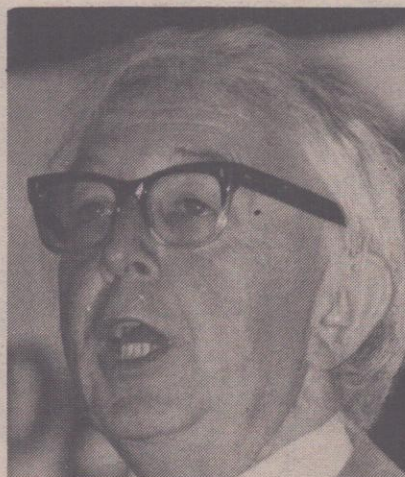
ments of nearly £3,000 per week, for which we will need about £20,000 of work per week.'

The Communist Party's five candidates for the incoming PPPS management committee are pledged to uncover all the facts concerning commercial printing proposals which have so far been kept a strict secret among four PPPS chiefs.

This week's issue of the Communist Party 'Focus' deplored the lack of information on the so-called 'rescue plan' and asked why no feasibility study had been conducted by a team of experts.

It quoted Mary Rosser's statement in February that the new tabloid 'Morning Star' would be on the streets in 'about eight weeks' time' and added: 'Seventeen weeks have elapsed and there is still no tabloid. Why?'

The 'Focus' report concluded: 'What is clear is that there can be no confidence in the competence of a management committee responsible for making so many inaccurate and wrong statements and forecasts relating to financial matters, and embarking on a



TONY CHATER

political course of attacking the Communist Party and its elected leadership.'

The Communist Party is calling on PPPS shareholders to vote against the management committee's annual report at this weekend's meetings 'as a vote of no confidence in the way the PPPS has been managed'.

Stalinist party chairman George Bolton, the Scottish NUM vice-president, has tabled an



GEORGE BOLTON

amendment at the shareholders' meetings 'urging the movement to use its strength to secure the reinstatement of all those victimised and to win the release of those miners and their supporters now in jail'.

## Occasion

Not that Bolton is going to lead any campaigning; this is the first recorded occasion he has mentioned the jailed miners. He has tabled the amend-

ment simply to embarrass the Chaterites. His amendment adds:

'We believe that this is what the "Morning Star" should concentrate on, rather than publish such divisive material as the unwarranted editorial attack on the Communist Party in connection with the strike, which appeared in the "Morning Star" on March 19, and against which NUM vice-president Mick McGahey protested at the time.'

## Airport sell-off threatens 11,000

WORKERS at Britain's major airports yesterday received letters warning of the impending privatisation of the British Airports Authority.

The new threat to jobs and conditions for 11,000 workers in the country's seven larger airports follows the government's announcement last week of the enlargement of Stansted airport.

The letter from Sir Norman Payne, BAA chairman, says that legislation will be introduced this autumn for the sale of the BAA to private speculators.

He predicts that shares will be available on the open market by September 1986.

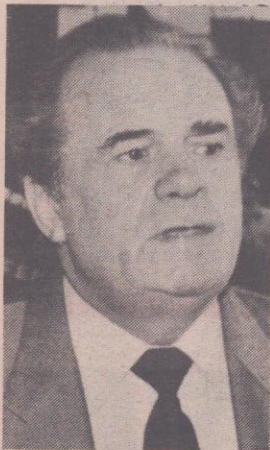
But the letter also indicates a major threat to the BAA workers' pension scheme and to current conditions of service.

Trade unions organised in the BAA suspect that their current index-linked pension, holiday scheme, and basic rates of £3.20 an hour will come under immediate attack.

Private contractors already working in airports are paid little more than £1.80 an hour and have no pension scheme. Neither do they have paid holidays.

The issue is expected to provoke a heated debate in the T&GWU transport union conference this year. One of the airport branches has a resolution calling for industrial action to defend the airports against privatisation.

# Todd leads in T&G reballot



RON TODD



GEORGE WRIGHT

EARLY indications of the result of the re-election for general secretary of the T&GWU transport union suggest that Ron Todd is in the lead.

Though results are not to be officially announced until a week today, sources in the union were reported as saying Todd had increased the margin over right-winger George Wright.

The union was subject to a press witchhunt a month ago over allegations that there were irregularities in last year's election for the post.

The legal consequences of the witchhunt are still dragging on, and yesterday the union continued to fight against a policy of circulating every return to any member.

Agricultural worker Declan Hughes has demanded complete access to all voting records for the current election.

Eldred Tabachnik, counsel for the union, said in the High Court yesterday that there was 'not one ounce of evidence' that there was any improper conduct in last year's ballot.

## Amal stops relief

BEIRUT — Amal gunmen detained the Austrian ambassador to Lebanon and the director of the UN Relief and Works Agency (UNWRA) yesterday as they tried to take relief supplies into a Palestinian camp.

They were released unhurt a few hours later.

Ambassador Georg Zdenaric and UNWRA's Robert Gallagher, a 46-year-old Canadian, were taken hostage to demand the release of Shi'ite Amal supporters held by the Palestinians.

Five Finnish soldiers of the UN force in Lebanon were taken hostage by the Israeli-backed South Lebanon Army yesterday.

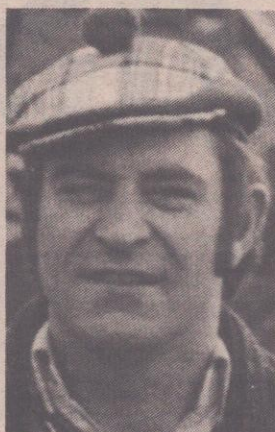
In the southern city of Sidon more than 5,000 people marched through the streets to mark the third anniversary of the Israeli invasion.

## No merger

MERGER plans aimed at creating a 360,000-strong Post Office and BT telephone union received a set-back yesterday.

Delegates representing 165,000 BT workers at the NCU conference in Blackpool yesterday threw out merger proposals for the UCW postal workers union.

Whereas the UCW conference recently approved plans to move towards a merger, the telephone engineers rejected the proposals.



TERRY FRENCH

## Jailed miner's sentence cut

JAILED miner Terry French had a year knocked off his five-year jail sentence yesterday in the Appeal Court. But his young friend Chris Tazey was refused any reduction in his three-year sentence.

Terry's wife Liz told News Line yesterday: 'I would like to see all the jailed lads out of prison, and I feel this decision today brings that just one step closer.'

## Embryos Bill

RIGHT-WING Tory Enoch Powell's Bill to ban experiments on human embryos was finally killed yesterday.

The Bills' supporters

tactic which could have led to a weekend-long sitting was frustrated in the end after procedural wranglings in parliament.

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## MARCH

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# TEACHERS TREATED WITH CONTEMPT

BY OUR EDUCATION CORRESPONDENT

**STRIKING** teachers have been warned by the government that they cannot be expected to be offered a pay increase on the scale of the 8.6 per cent awarded to nurses.

Tory Health Minister Kenneth Clarke said nurses had been given an independent pay review body in recognition of their refusal to take strike action.

'I don't think teachers can possibly be treated in the same way. I personally would be rather annoyed if they were,' he said.

'The lesson is that non-

professional behaviour makes it extremely difficult for the government to treat them in the same way.'

## Award

In fact yesterday's award to the nurses was bitterly condemned by health union leaders, because only 3 per cent of the increase comes from the government, with the rest having to be found by health authorities.

National Union of Teachers' general secret-

ary Fred Jarvis said after Clarke's attack that his hypocrisy was exceeded only by his cynicism in drawing the distinction between nurses and teachers.

'He knows that if teachers had taken no action this year, they would have got no more than 4 per cent. The teachers' action only began after the government's attitude to their pay had been made abundantly clear.'

'Mr Clarke also knows that, in spite of the gov-

ernment's promises to nurses over their review, the government has now conned and cheated them. That is utter cynicism,' Jarvis said.

## Factors

'What is abundantly clear is that the kind of factors which have warranted a bigger pay increase for nurses than they have actually been offered equally apply to teachers.'

'They warrant and jus-

tify a far bigger offer to teachers than the management's 5 per cent, which we have rejected.'

The fact that the government had not hesitated to give the armed forces their 7.3 per cent without any phasing demonstrated that when the government chose, money for pay increases was made available.

'Teachers fully understand the message of all this and their answer will be to press on with their action and intensify their

pressure against the government to force a change of attitude and policy on teachers' pay.'

## List

● THE NUT yesterday announced a list of 40 areas to be hit by strike action next week, the 13th of the pay dispute.

The union said between Tuesday and Thursday, 9,000 NUT members in 557 schools would strike for between one and three days.

## We'll battle for pay review

SCOTTISH teachers yesterday voted to continue their battle of targeted strike action for an independent pay review.

They voted at their conference in Inverness that tactics would remain flexible, but would continue to include working to contract, boycotting new plans for the curriculum and taking action against exam procedures, marking and documentation.

Michael McCarthy from Glasgow said it was illogical for teachers to undertake work out of school hours while they were in dispute.

The conference agreed to organise an early ballot of secondary school teachers on the issue of boycotting examinations next year.

A planned boycott of this year's Scottish Certificate of Education exams was called off, despite an 87 per cent ballot in favour of action against the examination.

EIS general secretary John Pollock described the vote as 'a significant hardening of attitude'.

Frank Farrell, from Ayrshire, described the withdrawal of the boycott as 'poor brinkmanship'.

He said the government had interpreted it as weakness rather than compassion on the part of teachers for pupils sitting important examinations.

One of the main features of the year-long pay battle has been strike action targeted at schools in the constituencies of Tory government ministers.

Joe Flannigan, from the Ayrshire local association which takes in schools in Scottish Secretary George Younger's constituency, said targeted strike action was an effective weapon.

## Logsheet altered at nuclear plant

A LOG sheet at the Windscale (Sellafield) nuclear complex appeared to have 24 alterations, a court heard yesterday.

British Nuclear Fuels, the state-owned company which runs the West Cumbrian plant, is denying five charges at Carlisle Crown Court after a nearby stretch of coastline was contaminated in November, 1983.

Shift manager Francis Hodson was asked to examine a monthly logsheet showing the amount of low-level liquid waste being prepared for discharge into the Irish Sea.

The document was kept in a control room near the sea tank from which low-level waste was pumped

down a pipeline into the sea.

Hodson said it was generally left to a chargehand or process worker to complete the logsheet.

He had not made any of the alterations.

A management meeting was held when it was discovered that highly radioactive material had been sent by mistake into a sea tank for low-level material.

Although the level of radioactivity in the tanks was within legal safety limits, discharge out to sea would not have been acceptable, said Hodson.

Attempts to return the waste for reprocessing failed so it was flushed out to sea.

The trial continues on Monday.

## Fall-out advice

THE government in its propaganda preparations for nuclear war yesterday urged farmers to fill their attics with soil, cover water supplies with polythene and build shelters for their livestock to

prepare for a nuclear attack.

Nine top civil servants at the Ministry of Agriculture have spent the last two years preparing the report, to be sent to farmers throughout Britain.

## 'Blunder' Tamil found in Colombo

THE TAMIL who was deported to Sri Lanka after a blunder by immigration officials has been found safe and well in Colombo, the Home Office claimed yesterday.

The disclosure came after Labour MP for Bradford West Max Madden called in the Commons for a statement from Home Secretary Leon Brittan on the investigation he pledged into the affair on Thursday.

Kandiah Raveenthiran was refused asylum, but sent back to Colombo before the UK Immigration Advisory Service had a chance to make representations after interviewing him.

The Home Office said

yesterday that a British diplomat said Raveenthiran was staying with a brother in the capital and had suffered no harassment.

## Asylum

Madden said afterwards that he hoped Raveenthiran would return 'as quickly as possible and receive asylum'.

But a Home Office spokesman later said the Tamil would only be granted a visa and brought back to Britain at public expense if a hardship test found in his favour.

● HOME Office Minister David Waddington has said Britain may exclude

all foreign wives to comply with last week's European court ruling that its immigration laws were unlawful.

The ruling said the laws discriminated against women because women did not have the right to bring their husbands to live here.

Waddington told the Commons: 'The country would be immensely surprised if having willed firm but fair immigration control we were now to take the view that anyone who entered into a marriage irrespective of the fact that the marriage was entered into for immigration purposes should be able to come here.'

Truman said that about one minute before half-time

## Reporter claims he saw smoke bomb

A REPORTER claimed he saw 'a killer smoke bomb' cause the Bradford City football ground fire which claimed 55 lives.

But Andrew Collins, QC, counsel for Mr Justice Popplewell's inquiry at Bradford City Hall into safety at sports grounds, accused 'Daily Star' reporter Ian Truman of being over-imaginative.

'May I suggest that your imagination ran away with you?' said Collins.

'May I suggest you are wrong,' replied Truman.

Collins has told the inquiry that the fire was almost certainly caused accidentally, probably by a dropped cigarette stub.

The inquiry continues on Monday

UNEMPLOYMENT will continue to rise for at least two years, a City economist predicted yesterday. David Kearns, chief economist for the National Westminster Bank, said he could see little prospect of change in the high levels

had received a complaint from the embassy about them.

Among those who addressed the protest were Vanessa Redgrave, from the Central Committee of the Workers Revolutionary Party, and David Kitson, a former political prisoner in South Africa.



Former South African political prisoner David Kitson and Vanessa Redgrave of the WRP Central Committee (centre) at last night's 24-hour picket of the South African Embassy

## NALGO affiliates

AT a branch meeting on Thursday, Kent County NALGO agreed to affiliate to the Trade Union Friends of Palestine and send the following letter to the Syrian ambassador:

'This branch condemns the genocidal attacks on Sabra, Shatila and Bourj al-Barajneh refugee camps by the sanction of Amal led by Nabih Berri in conjunction with the Lebanese army.

'We call on the Syrian government to instruct their supporters to cease these attacks at once and to allow immediate access to the camps by the Red Cross and Red Crescent.'

## WORKERS REVOLUTIONARY PARTY PUBLIC MEETING ON THE LEBANON

- Hands off Sabra, Shatila and Bourj Al-Barajneh!
- Victory to the PLO!
- Syria — Stop doing Zionism's dirty work!

Monday June 10, 7.30p.m.  
Conway Hall

Red Lion Square, London WC1

Speakers: Mike Banda (WRP general secretary)  
Julie Hyland (YS national secretary)  
Vanessa Redgrave (WRP central committee)  
Plus PLO speaker



## Briefly . . .

### Libya hits US expulsion

TRIPOLI — Libya has accused United States intelligence agencies of fabricating charges against a Libyan United Nations diplomat, who was expelled from New York for alleged involvement in plots against Libyan counter-revolutionaries there. The Libyan authorities said the decision to deport Farhat Tibar was a 'flagrant violation of international law'.

### Israeli council protest

TEL AVIV — City councillors in a Tel Aviv suburb yesterday chained the mayor's \$43,000 car to a tree in protest against extravagances by his office. The councillors say Mayor Uri Amit's new Volvo cost as much as the city's street repairs. The protesters released the vehicle after 15 minutes.

### Saudi prince on shuttle

CAPE CANAVERAL — The first space crew with representatives from three countries have been rehearsing for their launch on board the space shuttle Discovery on June 17. A Saudi Arabian prince, Sultan Salman Abdel Azize Al-Saud, nephew of King Fahd, has joined a Frenchman and five American astronauts.

### French farmers' anger

PARIS — French farmers protesting against the import of cheap produce from Spain overturned five Spanish fruit trucks in Perpignan, the southern French town, on Thursday. Forty-five tonnes of apricots, peaches and nectarines were spilled on the road.

### Old bomb explodes

MOSCOW — Three boys and a 77-year-old woman were killed in an explosion believed to have been caused by a World War II anti-tank mine in Riga, Latvia, on Thursday. The boys, aged between seven and 12, were apparently playing with the mine in the western Soviet city, newspapers said.

### Mexican leader on tour

MADRID — Mexican President Miguel de la Madrid is in Spain at the start of a three-week Western European tour to increase trade and investment. He has met Spanish Prime Minister Felipe Gonzalez to discuss improving two-day trade. The two leaders also discussed US imperialist aggression in Central America.

### Nujoma's Paris overture

PARIS — Sam Nujoma, leader of the South West Africa Peoples Organisation, fighting South African occupation of Namibia, has asked French Prime Minister Laurent Fabius to approve ways of boosting the organisation's presence in France. Fabius last week pledged that France would give SWAPO such support.

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# RENAULT PLAN TO AXE 21,000 JOBS

RENAULT, the French state-owned car group, has sparked a new confrontation against the French working class with plans to axe 21,000 jobs — more than 20 per cent of its workforce — by the end of 1986.

Chairman Georges Besse, President Mitterrand's personal appointee early this year, unveiled the scheme to Renault's board of directors late last month.

FROM NICOLE  
VERNIER IN PARIS

The plan is immediately to axe 7,000 jobs to meet Renault's target of slashing the workforce to 77,000 by the end of 1986, from 98,000 at the end of 1984.

Besse has yet to explain how he plans to lop off an extra 9,000 jobs in 1986.

Besse's plan had behind it the unmistakable guiding hand of Prime Minister Laurent Fabius, a monetarist whizz-kid, a fervent believer in International Monetary Fund economic austerities, and a Mitterrand protégé.

The pretext for the savage scheme is the fact that Renault lost 12.55 billion francs (\$1.35 billion) in 1984 — a record for French industry.

Renault's planners — and the Elysee Palace — have been shocked by the slump in sales of their much-heralded new Super-5 model, designed as a replacement for the successful Renault-5.

The moves against Renault workers reflects the bloody-mindedness of the past two years that has reduced the industrial heartland of Lorraine province to a steel and mining wasteland.

Mitterrand has created 10.6 per cent unemployment in France, and it is raging to new heights amid soaring prices and living costs.

Under his IMF-inspired policy of economic austerities, Renault's board of directors expect their workforce to 'fall' to 86,000 by the end of this year, 3,000 below earlier targets.

As 'incentives', they have introduced fraudulent 'early retirement' and immigrant repatriation schemes, and the government claims more than 90 per cent of the workers have responded.

### Rules

Besse has also asked his Socialist Party bosses to change the rules governing early retirement.

The Besse plan will reduce the age limit for retirement from 55 to 54. Migrant foreign workers will be offered a range of so-called incentives to return to their countries of origin.

'Holiday-retraining schemes' are being investigated and the employers' federation (CNPF) and the trade union bureaucracy have been invited to negotiate on June 17.

Besse is angling for the green light to stealthily drop another 5,000 workers in return for the cheap-labour 'holiday re-



Renault car workers protest over wages and conditions

training' scheme.

The holiday-retraining scheme is designed to drive skilled tradesmen on to the assembly lines at micro-silicon chip factories.

Such schemes have forced thousands of working class families to migrate to previously low-industry regions such as Bregagne, Aquitaine, Midi-Pyrenees and Languedoc-Roussillon.

Besse has bluntly told the trade union bureaucracy that if no agreement is forthcoming, on his proposals, Renault will impose its own solution to 'overstaffing' and that such an alternative will be 'less flexible'.

It is political thuggery in broad daylight and neither Besse nor Mitterrand are mincing words. The reason is that they enjoy the full support of the Stalinist leaders of the

French Communist Party under George Marchais.

But last Wednesday, French workers, members of the Stalinist-controlled Confederation Generale de Travail (CGT), took their anger against their leadership out into the open.

### Evicted

Having occupied the Swedish-owned SKF engineering plant for 19 months without the support of the party and after being evicted a week ago, they stormed past heavy police cordons to re-occupy the plant.

Anger has been seething for months against the rampant attacks on jobs and living standards and the Stalinist leaders' collaboration with Mitterrand.

At Renault, engineer-

ing section leader and party official Andre Sainjon, said in a radio interview shortly before the storming: 'The fact that Renault is not announcing outright firings is a very great step forward.'

He added that the CGT would continue to insist that any worker leaving voluntarily or taking retraining should be replaced. This week's announcement by Renault has shattered his mealy-mouthed assertions about no 'outright firings'.

But the Stalinist leaders could not have found a more eloquent spokesman for reactionary capitulation to the capitalist state.

The SKF storming this week was, however, clear evidence that the resistance of the undefeated French working class is gathering momentum.

## Alfonsin accepts IMF austerity

BUENOS AIRES — The Raul Alfonsin government, dogged by a domestic economy in high fever, is obtaining a \$1.2-billion refinancing loan from the International Monetary Fund.

Alfonsin is entering a new agreement on harsh new IMF economic austerity measures with inflation in Buenos Aires registering a staggering 1,010.1 per cent in May.

Consumer prices rose 25.1 per cent that month, taking the inflation level to its highest point in Argentine history.

Inflation in May was higher than the corresponding month last year, when it raged at 17.1 per cent.

To sugar-coat a bitter pill, the Argentine National Statistics Institute argued that it was lower than the 29.5 per cent rise in April.

But the April figure was one of the highest monthly increases on record and far above the 18.5 per cent in April 1984.

The inflationary spiral

forced Alfonsin to declare a 'war economy' in April to try to curb the escalation in prices and costs.

It also opened the door wider for his government's capitulation to the harsher IMF terms.

This happened in Washington on Thursday, when President Reagan agreed to take part in a consortium of government-sponsored funds for Buenos Aires.

Although the US Treasury has declined comment on the move,

Reagan is clearly trying to stem another round of panic in the beleaguered US banking system.

The move followed a series of finance disasters in Buenos Aires, where a key bank has collapsed and the powerful Confederation of Labour (COB) is agitating for suspension of payments to the imperialist lending agencies.

Reagan has told the IMF his government is willing to join other governments in lending

Buenos Aires up to \$450 million in an attempt to avoid a default.

An Argentine default could prove catastrophic for the US Treasury's hopes of ensuring a steady flow of money to help pay off the American federal deficit, running at more than \$215 billion.

In addition, American bankers have been shaken by a spate of collapses in the state banking system, including home savings and insurance finance institutions,

in the past four months.

The 'Washington Post' on Thursday quoted unidentified American officials as saying the loan depended on Argentina reaching agreement with the IMF on new economic austerity measures.

The US Inter-Agency Regulators — the imperialist bankers' watchdog body — have used the threat to downgrade Buenos Aires' credit standing unless the Alfonsin government agreed the new IMF terms.

## Banker jailed for fraud

WASHINGTON — A leading private banker in Knoxville, Tennessee, has been sentenced to 20 years in jail for fraud in one of the worst bank failures in United States finance history.

The banker, Jake Butcher, once candidate for state governor, received the maximum possible sentence under a plea bargaining arrangement, due to be

heard soon.

Butcher admitted defrauding his United American Banks in Knoxville and Chattanooga of nearly \$15 million.

Butcher, 48, awaits sentencing on other charges involving banks he operated in Memphis and Pikeville, Kentucky.

But this will be a formal-ity under the plea bargain-

ing agreement before Judge William Thomas.

Thomas told Butcher he was imposing the maximum sentence 'to deter other guardians of bank funds from committing similar embezzlements of their own bank funds'.

The 1983 collapse of United American Bank in Knoxville, flagship of his \$1.5 billion empire, trig-

gered a chain reaction of bank failures in Tennessee and Kentucky.

It left the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation holding uncollectable loans of about \$700 million.

Butcher's brother, C.H. Butcher Jr., is under investigation by a federal grand jury for possible fraud in the failure of his own banking chain.



## World News Line

Hong Kong  
rescue  
plan

HONG KONG — The Hong Kong government yesterday took over a failed leading bank and said the rescue operation would cost the taxpayers \$HK2 billion (£125 million).

The colony's Legislative Council held an emergency session to unanimously approve special legislation to 'nationalise' the Overseas Trust Bank (OTB).

The bank collapse triggered the biggest fall on the Hong Kong stock market since 1982 and sent shudders through the world's third ranking financial centre.

The index fell 86.95 points yesterday to close at 1542.55 with share prices falling across the board. The crisis also prompted a run on several smaller banks but this has been contained, government officials said.

Financial Secretary Sir John Brembridge told the council: 'Confidence in the Hong Kong dollar is at stake.'

## Fraud

He said OTB's failure appeared to be the result of a major fraud involving hundreds of millions of dollars. Three people including a senior bank official have been detained for questioning.

A fourth detainee, a woman employee of the bank, was released yesterday.

Under the rescue deal, the OTB will reopen on Monday with all its deposits secured. The government named Secretary of Monetary Affairs, Douglas Blye, as the new OTB chairman.

OTB has deposits estimated at \$10HK billion (over £500 million), about 1,400 staff and a wide-spread international network of branches.

The state takeover of OTB follows the 'nationalisation' of the Hang Lung Bank 20 months ago when it ran into trouble.

The Oman Central Bank said yesterday the insolvency of OTB would not affect an Omani joint venture bank in which OTB had a 15 per cent stake.

INDEPENDENCE THEN  
CONFEDERATION says Abu Iyyad

TUNIS — Salah Khalaf (Abu Iyyad), a senior leader of the Palestine Liberation Organisation, has denied a Jordanian statement that the PLO had given up the idea of an independent Palestinian state.

Abu Iyyad said the PLO wanted an independent Palestinian state to be declared. It would then be confederated with Jordan, he said.

He was commenting on a statement by Jordanian Foreign Minister Taher al-Masri in Washington that a PLO-Jordanian accord signed in February did not envisage the creation of an independent Palestinian state.

'In order to conform with resolutions by the Palestine National Council, an independent state must be declared first, followed by the confederation,' Abu Iyyad said.

Asked if he envisaged a Jordanian-Palestinian confederation offering less than a state to the Palestinians, he replied: 'The two states in a confederation must be treated equally.'

BY A FOREIGN  
CORRESPONDENT

The February accord signed by Arafat and Jordan's King Hussein called for an Israeli withdrawal from the West Bank and Gaza, a Middle East peace conference under UN auspices and creation of a Jordanian-Palestinian confederation.

Following talks in Washington with Reagan administration officials, Masri has now met UN secretary-general Javier Perez de Cuellar on the possibility of convening the peace conference.

Asked whether the PLO's agreement last February to a confederation with Jordan did not mean that an independent Palestinian state would have to be established prior to any merger, he replied:

'If you are talking from a legal point of view, international law doesn't specify one kind of confederation.'

'Once you come out with something, then this is an international law by itself.'

'There are many exam-

ples of confederation. The Swiss confederation is one example. So once you establish a fact, then it becomes a law.'

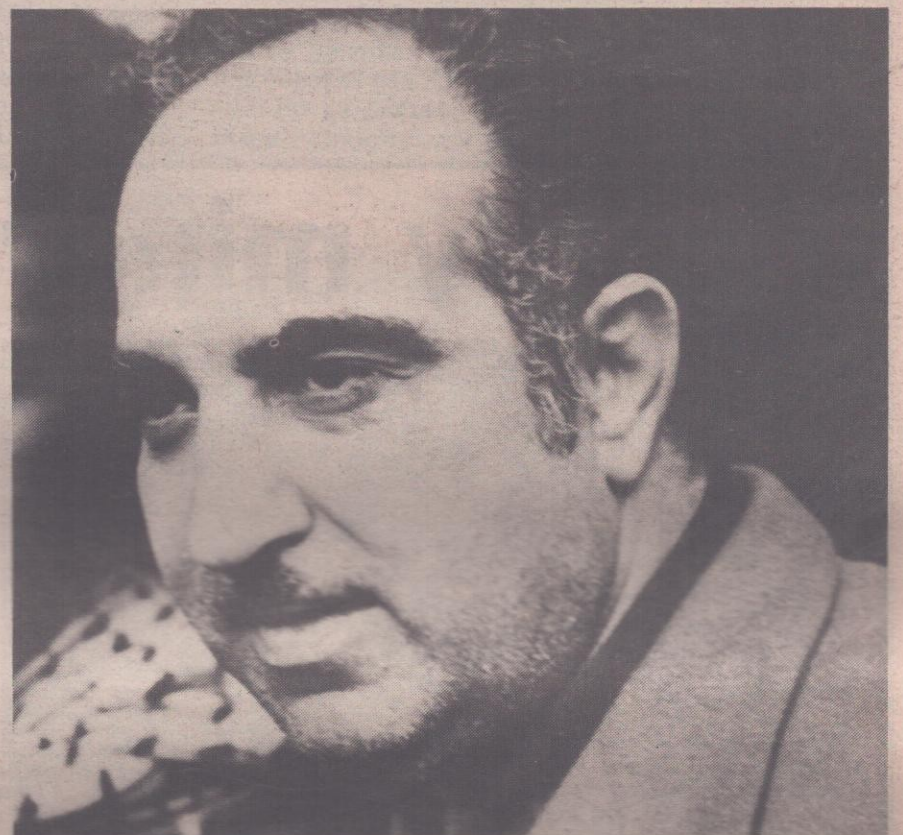
Pressed whether PLO chairman Yassir Arafat had renounced the idea of an independent state, Masri said: 'We said that confederation between the two countries means confederation.'

The Israeli regime has already denounced the idea of a Jordanian-Palestinian confederation while the Reagan administration has declared a number of reservations.

'As a general proposition, having the government of Jordan spelling out a scenario leading to direct negotiations, cannot be all bad,' a State Department official told reporters.

But on King Hussein's proposal for a joint Jordanian-Palestinian team to meet Washington officials, the State Department official said: 'We and Jordan are on a different sheet of music at this time.'

But other reports suggest that US special envoy Richard Murphy will meet Jordanian and Palestinian delegates in Amman in early July.



ABU IYYAD

## 'Mengele is not dead'

NEW YORK — Nazi-hunter Simon Wiesenthal has rejected reports that Nazi war criminal Dr Josef Mengele may be dead.

'We just don't believe it,' Rhonda Barad, a spokeswoman at the Wiesenthal Centre in New York, said yesterday.

She was commenting on a claim by Brazilian police chief Romeu Tuma in Sao Paulo that he was 90 per cent certain Mengele drowned while swimming near the Brazilian city in 1979.

Speaking on behalf of Wiesenthal, Barad said: 'We don't believe the story for a number of reasons. If he had died in 1979, his family would have said so.'

## Pressure

'They are under a lot of pressure. They would not have left him in an unmarked grave.'

'Secondly, he (Mengele) was spotted in Paraguay in 1984 by Wiesenthal's people.'

Wiesenthal said on Thursday: 'This is not the first time that there have been reports that he (Mengele) is dead or that we have had false information.'

'I don't see ingredients in this that I can believe.' Wiesenthal was certain Mengele was in Paraguay.

'Paraguay is the safest place for him. It has a very big German population, a big Arab population, a small Jewish population. So why should

he go to any other place?'

The Wiesenthal Centre said the story could be linked to a scheduled visit to West Germany next month by Paraguayan President Alfredo Stroessner.

The Paraguayan Foreign Ministry yesterday

called a press conference in Asuncion to announce Stroessner had cancelled his controversial July tour of West Germany.

The Wiesenthal Centre is offering more than \$2 million for information on Mengele's whereabouts.

Mengele carried out

horrifying experiments at Auschwitz where more than 4 million Jews and anti-Nazis were exterminated.

He was allowed out of Europe by the imperialist powers and they have been responsible for protecting him ever since.



MENGELE

## Indian police fight

NEW DELHI — A border dispute between two of India's strategic north-eastern states left 25 police dead, 50 injured and 25,000 villagers homeless yesterday.

Army patrols were stepped up in a third north-eastern state, Tripura, after guerrillas of the Tripura National Volunteers self-liberation organisation killed nine government agents and informers in the state.

The worst clashes in the three states, sandwiched between Bangladesh and Burma, were over confiscated fencing material and a five-mile stretch of

jungle separating Assam and Nagaland states, Reuters newsagency said.

The Assamese and Nagaland police forces used machine guns and mortars in the four-hour battle at a border crossing about 150 miles east of Gauhati, the Assam capital.

In Ahmedabad, the largest city in north-western Gujarat state, Indian army troops opened fire on protesters, killing eight and wounding at least 15.

A senior army officer admitted the troops had opened fire at five different places in the city of

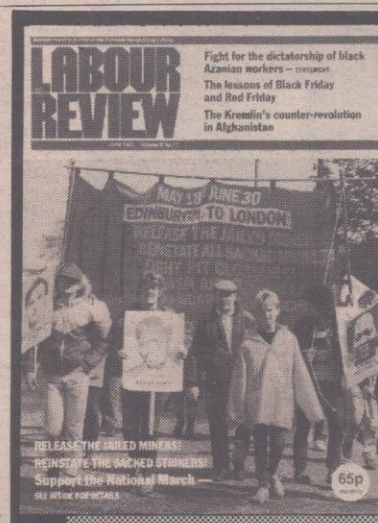
2.5 million people to break a traders' hartal (strike) that has paralysed the region.

The shootings occurred after more than 500,000 civil servants joined the traders in protest over the federal government's caste policies.

Upheavals broke out three months ago, when students began agitating against the discriminatory caste legislation.

At least 150 people have been killed in the Gujarat upheaval.

In Baroda, the second-largest Gujarati city, police fired teargas to break up clashes



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# National March to Release the Jailed Miners

THE first leg of the National March to Release the Jailed Miners set out from Bilston Glen colliery, Edinburgh on May 18. Last Saturday, June 1, two more marches took to the road from Swansea in South Wales and Liverpool in the north west.

All three sections of the march will converge on London for a mass rally at the Alexandra Pavilion on June 30.

The marches, organised by the Young Socialists, bring sacked miners and unemployed youth together in the fight against the attacks of the state. The demands of the march are Release the Jailed Miners! — Reinstatement of the sacked strikers! — Fight pit closure! — Smash the anti-union laws!

and No scab labour schemes for youth!

The marchers will pass through towns and pit villages throughout the length and breadth of the country raising these demands and holding meetings along the way. The marchers are carrying portraits of miners thrown in jail under Thatcher's Bonapartist regime, of David Jones and Joe Green, killed during the miners strike, and of Andries Raditsela and Steve Biko, South African workers' leaders murdered by the apartheid state.

Support for the march in all areas has flooded in, with trade union branches, shop stewards' committees and other labour movement organisations joining the impressive list of sponsors.

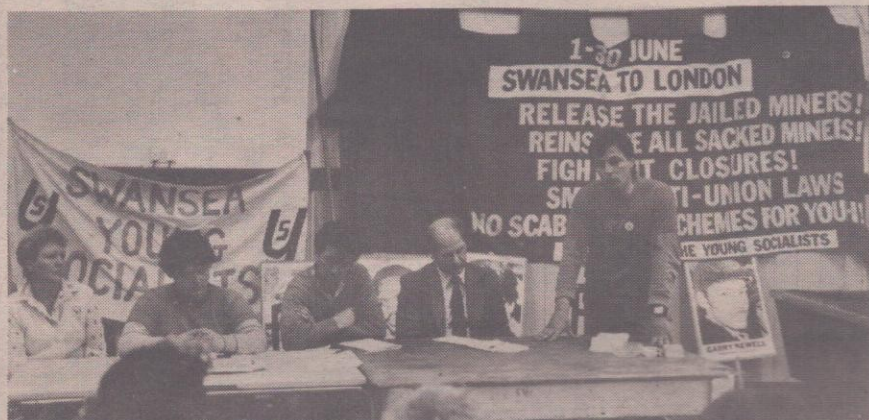
● IN SOUTH WALES alone 16 NUM lodges have backed the march along with several miners' wives groups which were pillars of support in the valley towns during the 12-month strike.

● IN THE NORTH WEST, Merseyside dockers, Ford car workers, and a host of other trade union branches are among the sponsors, reflecting the wide support for the campaign.

● IN SCOTLAND, support has come from miners' lodges, trades councils and Constituency Labour Parties.

Follow news of the growing support for the march, plus reports and pictures, every day in the News Line.

## Maerdy miners reject official ban



The platform at the public meeting in Merthyr Young Socialists Training Centre on Thursday. Cliff Jones, Merthyr WRP, addresses the meeting. Other speakers were Anne Sargeant, Matt Fowler and Jim Bevan

BY SIMON VEVERS

MAERDY — the last pit in the Rhondda Valley — welcomed the Swansea to London marchers yesterday, in spite of their local NUM lodge officials.

Many miners coming off shift at lunchtime were outraged that the Stalinist-dominated lodge committee had opposed the March to Free Jailed Miners.

Ignoring their leaders' instructions, the miners donated generously when they were approached by young marchers who clambered on to colliery buses.

This was an indication of the fighting spirit in the pit which is now threatened

### SWANSEA TO LONDON

with closure by the National Coal Board.

The Coal Board have now scrapped a plan devised before the strike to axe 200 jobs on the surface at Maerdy but retain the pit by linking it with Tower colliery.

The warm response was also in stark contrast to the reaction of NUM lodge secretary Eric Price when he was confronted by four marchers at the pithead.

He was told that every pit that we had passed on the road since leaving Swansea last Saturday has backed the campaign and that Maerdy should follow suit.

But Price replied: 'This lodge not only does not sup-

port the march, we condemn it.'

Maerdy lodge chairman Arfon Evans is a newly-elected member of the Communist Party executive and an aggressive Euro-Stalinist.

He was among the majority of South Wales NUM executive members who voted on Tuesday to withdraw backing for the march.

As the march set off from the pit entrance in bright sunshine hundreds of women, children and unemployed youth stood in doorways or sat on walls to watch it pass.

Today, the marchers will be holding a rally in Merth-

yr before heading for a grand reception in Rhymney — the town where jailed miners Russell Shankland and Dean Hancock lived.

On Thursday night the marchers heard a stirring message of support from Anne Sargeant, of the Merthyr Vale colliery support group, when she spoke at a public meeting at the Merthyr Young Socialists training centre.

'We have very special reasons for believing in your march. We all feel that these men are innocent and that they must be freed, but there is a long way to go.'

'We're not giving up, we're still carrying on the fight, especially for those in prison.'

### SPONSORS OF THE MARCH INCLUDE:

National Local Authority Co-ordinating Committee of shop stewards, ACTT General Council.

#### SCOTLAND

Bilston Glen NUM, Comrie NUM branch, Rowntrees Mackintosh shop stewards committee, British Rail Engineering Springburn Works Committee, Stirling Trades Council, Edinburgh Trades Council, Grampian Region NALGO, Aberdeen UCATT, Strathclyde FBU, File Federation of Trades Councils, Burrough Computers Shop Stewards Committee, Cumbernauld, CPSSA and SCPS branches, Crown Agents, East Kilbride, T&GWU shop stewards Victoria Infirmary Glasgow, ASTMS Edinburgh general branch, Leith Labour MP Ron Brown, Wallacestown Engineering shop stewards Ayr, South Queensferry Labour Party, Parsons Peebles shop stewards committee Edinburgh, AUEW-TASS Clydebank branch, Stirling Miners Wives Action Group.

#### NORTH EAST

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#### NORTH WEST

Mersey Docks shop stewards committee, T&GWU 6/612 unemployed branch, Merseyside TU Resource and Unemployed Centre, Vauxhall Motors T&GWU shop stewards committee, Vauxhall Motors T&GWU branch 6/760, Runcorn NUPE, Wirral Trades Council, Wigan Trades Council, Parkside NUM branch committee, Bold Miners Wives Support Committee, Point of Ayr Wives Support Committee, Wrexham Miners Support Committee, Ford Motors Halewood transmission T&GWU 6/559, T&GWU No.6 regional committee, T&GWU 'IM' Liverpool, St Helens Trades Council, Liverpool AUEW district committee, Warrington Trades Council, Liverpool Trades Council, AUEW Speke No.2, Merseyside County Association of Trades Councils, Ashton and Haydock Mechanics NUM, Bootle UCATT, Padiham UCATT, BAe Preston JSSC, Whittingham hospital NUPE, East Liverpool Hospitals NUPE, Sefton local authority workers, Kirkless NUM workshop, T&GWU 6/31 Speke buses, T&GWU 6/522 ACTSS Liverpool, T&GWU 6/526 Skelmersdale, T&GWU 6/99 Wigan building workers, UCW Wigan, Merseyside Community Relations Council, SCPS Trade and Industry Manchester, Sacked Philips rubber workers T&GWU 6/702 Manchester, Heysham Lancs Construction Workers co-ordinating committee, Rainhill hospital NUPE shop stewards, St Helens technical college students union, Liverpool NUR No.5, Base-Cherning shop stewards T&GWU and AUEW Runcorn, Lancashire Women Against Pit Closures, South Sefton Trades Council, South Sefton TU and Unemployed Resource Centre, GMBATU 181 Warrington, SOGAT '82 Eric Bemrose chapel, T&GWU 6/677 Widnes RTC, Kirby Unemployed Centre, Picton Ward Liverpool Labour Party, Bolton FTAT 39, Astmoor Litho NG82 Chapel, Bold NUM, T&GWU Liverpool bus shop stewards' committee (Garston, Speke, Prince Alfred Road, Litherland, Walton and Edge Lane garages), Burnley Striking Miners, Manchester Central EETPU, Manchester Polytechnic Students Union, Manchester Area NUS, North Manchester NUPE, Salford College of Technology Students Union.

#### YORKSHIRE

Halifax Trades Council, Bradford Trades Council, Denby Grange Miners Wives Support Group, Manton and District Water Services NUPE, ASTMS West Riding, CPSSA Bradford DHSS, Kiveton Park NUM, Kiveton Park Women's Support Group, Hatfield Main Women's Support Group, National Rank and File Miners, Markham Main NUM, Morley NUPE, Hickleton Main NUM, Rossington NUM, Cortonwood Women's Support Group, Silverwood Women's Support Group, Wheldale NUM, Fryson NUM, Dinnington Women's Support Group, Kellingley NUM, South Yorks Defence Committee, Sheffield AUEW No.2, Bradford Students Union, Holset Engineering AUEW Huddersfield, Grimethorpe and Brierley town council, Grimethorpe Women's Parcels Fund, Thurnscoe Women's Support Group, NUPE Rotherham hospital branch, Rotherham Support Group, Wheldale Coronation Club, Leeds University Union, Knottingley Miners' Wives Self-Help Group, Kellingley Miners' Wives Support Group, Allerton Bywater workshops, NUPE district committee, ASTMS 703 branch, ACTSS 9/998 branch, ASTMS 507 branch, Operation Food Force, Halton Ward Labour Party, NALGO fieldworkers' stewards committee, Leeds Miners' Defence Group, Harehills and Chapeltown Support Group, Castleford Miners' Wives Support Group, Bentley NUM, Leeds Trades Council, T&GWU 9/6 Halifax busmen, T&GWU Rowntree Mackintosh Halifax.

#### STAFFORDSHIRE

Silverdale NUM, Silverdale Women's Support Group, Hem Heath Miners Support Group, Hem Heath NUM, Hanley EETPU Plumbers, Florence Miners Support Group, North Staffordshire Women's Action Group.

#### WEST MIDLANDS

Coventry Trades Council, Coventry No.1 AUEW (TASS), Pleck Community Association, Birmingham ACE NATFHE branch, AUEW Coventry Parkside, AUEW Coventry 74, AUEW Coventry 25, Birmingham Social Services NALGO shop stewards' committee, UCATT Coventry UE048, Coventry Colliery Women's Support Group, EETPU Coventry Central, Northampton Miners' Support Group, West Midland Brigade divisional committee FBU, Lea Hall NUM.

#### EAST MIDLANDS

Leicester Striking Miners (Dirty 30), Leicester Trades Council, Nottingham Trades Council, Leicestershire Striking Miners' Wives Support Group, Coalville NUR, Nottingham NUPE, Nottingham Women's Support Group, Leicester Unemployed Workers Centre.

#### EAST ANGLIA

Norwich SOGAT, Norwich National Graphical Association, Cambridge and Newmarket AUEW district committee, Cambridge Trades Council, Ipswich AUEW No.5, Norwich and District Trades Council, University of East Anglia NALGO branch committee, Cambridge AUEW No.2, Cambridge Hospitals NUPE, Addenbrooks hospital strike committee, NUS Felixstowe Port Committee, Ipswich and District Trades Council.

#### WESTERN REGION

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T&GWU 5/55 branch, Rolls Royce JSSC Filton, UCW Regional Committee Bristol, Swindon Railworks Defence Group, Wokingham AUEW No.1, Reading GMBATU, Reading AUEW District Committee, Rolls Royce JSSC Bristol, Bristol NUPE community workers branch, Reading ASTMS 750.

#### WALES

South Wales NUM executive, Swansea Trades Council, Swansea NUS, Merthyr GMBATU buses, Penrhynwceiber, Abercrombi Sacked Miners Support Group, Hirwaun Women Against Pit Closures, Cardiff National Union of Seamen, T&GWU 4/130 Wales Gas, COHSE Wales 10 Region, NUPE Cardiff District local authority branch, Equity 4-Play Theatre Company, Equity Action Project and Education, T&GWU buses Swansea, Betws Miners Wives Support Group, Merthyr Vale NUM, Deep Navigation NUM, Tower NUM, Nantgarw NUM, Trefgaron NUM, Abernant NUM, Blaenau NUM, Trelewis Drift NUM, AUEW Mid-Glamorgan district, Treharis Miners Wives, Penrhynwceiber Miners Wives, Merthyr Vale Miners Wives, South East Wales Students Association, Pontypool CFE students union, University of Wales Hospital COHSE, Cardiff Trades Council, Newport Womens Aid, Swansea University Students Union, Swansea EETPU, Cardiff MATSA, Rhymney Miners Wives Support Group, Taff Merthyr NUM, Trelewis Miners Wives, Penallta NUM, Penallta Miners Wives, Abertillery Womens Support Group, North Celynyn NUM, South Celynyn NUM, Newbridge Miners Wives Support Group, Gwent Food Fund Support Group, Cwm NUM, Lady Windsor NUM, Abercynon NUM, Newport NUS, Barry NUS, Wales Region FBU, South Glamorgan FBU, Newport Rail NUR, Cardiff Miners Support Committee.

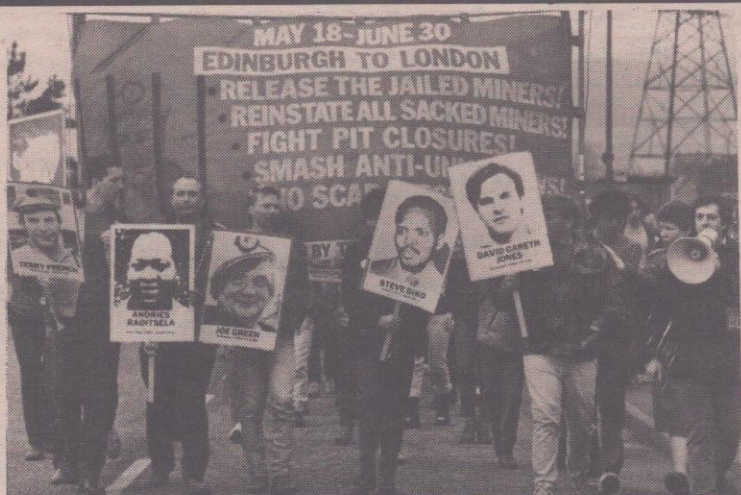
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#### KENT

Kent Area NUM, Kent NALGO social services shop stewards' committee, NUR Gillingham and Strood, Maidstone COHSE 840, Gillingham ASLEF, NUPE Medway local government.

### Join the WORKERS REVOLUTIONARY PARTY



National March to Release the Jailed Miners sets off on May 18. In front are pictures of David Jones and Joe Green, killed in the miners' strike, and Steve Biko and Andries Raditsela, killed in South Africa

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# Release Jailed Miners



The Edinburgh to London marchers passing through Leeds town centre on Wednesday

## Sacked miner's pit closed

BY JOHN SPENCER

**SACKED MINER**  
Mark Beech, 22, from Highgate colliery near Doncaster, joined the Edinburgh to London march on Thursday night and walked from Bradford to Halifax yesterday.

He is still waiting to appeal against a two-month sentence imposed at Castleford in February for allegedly throwing missiles, threatening language and behaviour likely to cause a breach of the peace.

Mark was arrested in November at Frickley colliery. But since he was sacked, Highgate pit has been closed.

Mark, who is married with two young children,

### EDINBURGH TO LONDON

had just completed his apprenticeship when the strike began. 'I had one month on top money as a faceworker when the strike came,' he said.

Another miner who joined the march into Halifax was Ernest Fairburn of Emley Moor. He came with his son, David, who was recently made redundant.

### Reports

Emley Moor is scheduled to close in December and Ernest was scathing about the reports that a group of pitmen plan to club together their redundancy money and purchase the pit.

Ernest enthusiastically supported the march. 'If I'd

been sacked I'd be marching with them. I feel they are doing right. There are people who've done a damn sight worse who should lose their jobs.'

Paul Adams, who also works at Emley Moor, said: 'Our union aren't really forcing themselves to get these men released and reinstated. There's only this march and the Workers Revolutionary Party that's doing that, and I fully support it all the way.'

Local trade unionists laid on a meal for the marchers at the Metro Club, run by the Transport and General Workers' Union. Among them was Steve Watson, a busman. He said: 'I've been a supporter of the

miners' strike since it started. Now that the miners have gone back to work the fight should carry on for those that have been jailed or sacked.'

Graham Wilson from Halifax trades council executive met the march at the outskirts of the city. He said: 'I fully agree with the aims of the march and wish it every success.'

### Route

As they left Halifax yesterday the marchers were prevented by police from approaching the Butterfill secondary school, the city's largest. They were obliged to leave the city by another route.

Workers at Holset Engineering in Halifax presented a delegation from the march with a cheque for £100.

## This is not a protest march

THE NATIONAL March to Release the Jailed Miners and free the sacked men was not a protest, Mike Banda, general secretary of the Workers Revolutionary Party, told a meeting in Bradford on Thursday night.

'It's a fight against the conspiracy by the TUC, the Labour leaders, both wings of the Communist Party and other groups.'

'They maintain that since the miners' strike there is no prospect of the working class repeating the experience of 1974 when they brought down the Tory government. Their central theme is that you can't defeat the capitalist state.'

'In the period of boom when history is made by parliamentarians and journalists the state is taken for granted. The illusion is created that the capitalist state is somehow neutral, a kind of arbiter, not really a class mechanism.'

'The whole policy of the

Labour Party and of the Communist Party through the British Road to Socialism is based entirely on this idea,' said Banda. 'This is a fatal and very reactionary illusion.'

Banda added: 'The objective conditions have changed. There is no party in the capitalist world that can in any way reverse this trend.'

### State

Banda said: 'If you accept this state in any shape or form there can be no socialism. It was the cowardice and docility of the social-democratic and Stalinist leaders of the German working class that brought fascism to power in Germany.'

Alan Wright, a member of the Labour group of Bradford council, speaking in a personal capacity, said: 'I am pleased to join a protest against the victimisation of miners by the

National Coal Board, the courts and the government.'

If the rest of the working class had shown the same spirit as the miners Thatcher's government would have totally collapsed in 1983, he said.

Richard Lee, AUEW convenor at Metal Box, Shipley, who brought a £10 donation from his union branch, spoke about the case of Hatfield miner Adrian Simpson, jailed for three months last week.

Nirmal Singh of the Asian Youth Movement, which provided the evening meal for the march, told the meeting: 'The miners' strike is not over. The struggle of the working class is not over. The struggle against racism is not over. It is just beginning.'

Frank Kellett of Shipley trades council presented a £10 cheque and expressed his council's support for the march aims.

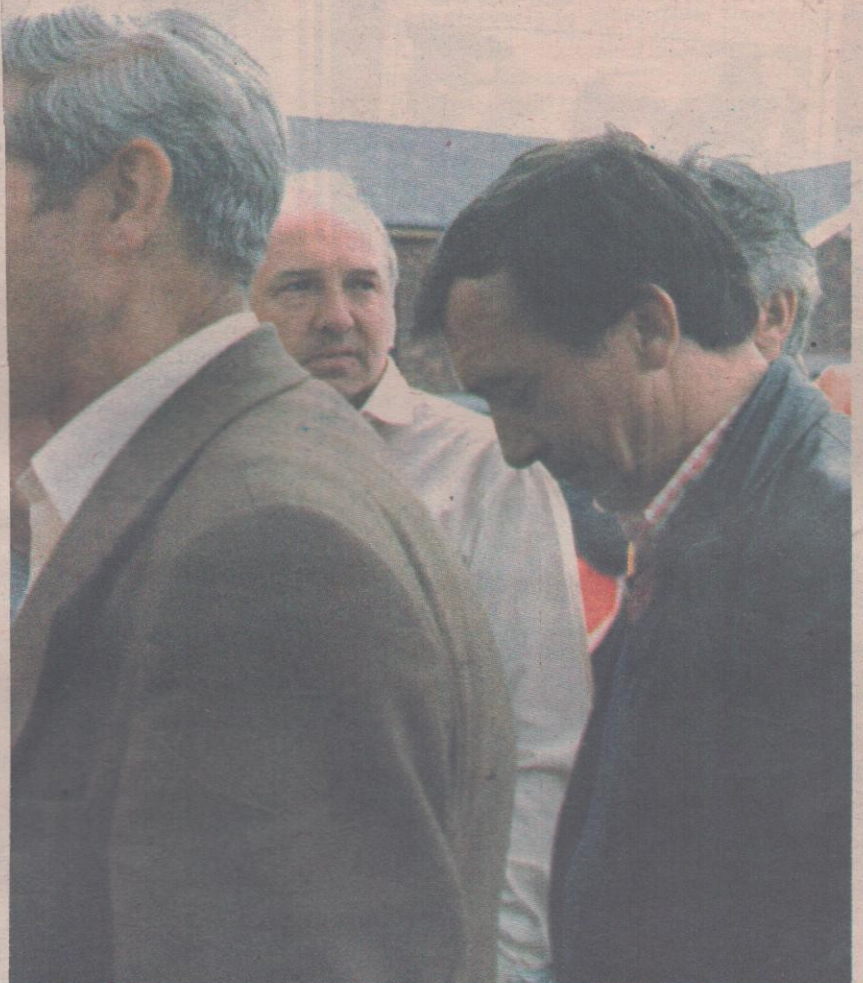
Dave Smith, president of Dinnington NUM, said: 'It is a march to bring to people's notice and take up a struggle for leadership.'

'The march in Yorkshire will have a hell of a fight,' Smith said. 'When we first had lads sent to jail, I organised to picket Lincoln prison. Our president Jack Taylor and vice-president Sammy Thompson visited the imprisoned miners and then came out and told us: "For god's sake lads please go home. You're causing the lads a hell of a lot of trouble."'

### Treated

'When they came out the imprisoned lads said they got treated better after the protest.'

'The reason Jack Taylor is afraid of the march is that it means the strike is still going on and everyone knows it.'



Miners why there was no reception for them yesterday

**MAY 18-JUNE 30**

### TH WEST

#### THURSDAY

March from All Saints, Oxford Road, Manchester, via Albert Square to Salford Crescent  
Public meeting at Salford Crescent AUEW  
Disco at Cheltenham Suite, Salford

#### SUNDAY

Assemble Manchester Polytechnic Oxford Road. March to Stockport  
Arrive High Street, Stockport  
Public meeting Mount Pleasant Community Centre, Cheviot Square, Winsford

#### MONDAY

Assemble Cheviot Square, march via Middleswich and Sandbach to Crewe  
Arrive at Crewe town centre  
Meeting at AUEW, St Pauls Street, Crewe

### SOUTH WALES

#### SATURDAY

10.00a.m. Assemble Promenade Pontmorlais, Merthyr  
11.00a.m. Rally at Merthyr Library, High Street  
2.00p.m. Arrive Rhymney Community Centre  
3.30p.m. March to Bedlinog via Pontllytyn and Fochriw  
7.30p.m. Social in Bedlinog Workingmen's Club

#### SUNDAY

10.00a.m. Assemble Bedlinog town square  
12 noon Meal at Boys Club, Deep Navigation  
1.00p.m. March from Treharris Square  
4.30p.m. Arrive in Ystrad-Mynach  
5.30p.m. Meal at Workingmen's Institute

#### MONDAY

9.30a.m. Assemble Ystrad-Mynach Workingmen's Institute  
1.00p.m. Arrive in Oakdale for meal  
2.30p.m. March from Oakdale Rugby Club to Abergillery  
7.30p.m. Public meeting Abergillery Miners' Institute

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# National

# National March

THE first leg of the National March to Release the Jailed Miners set out from Bilston Glen colliery, Edinburgh on May 18. Last Saturday, June 1, two more marches took to the road from Swansea in South Wales and Liverpool in the north west.

All three sections of the march will converge on London for a mass rally at the Alexandra Pavilion on June 30.

The marches, organised by the Young Socialists, bring sacked miners and unemployed youth together in the fight against the attacks of the state. The demands of the march are Release the Jailed Miners! — Reinstatement the sacked strikers! — Fight pit closure! — Smash the anti-union laws!

and No scab law

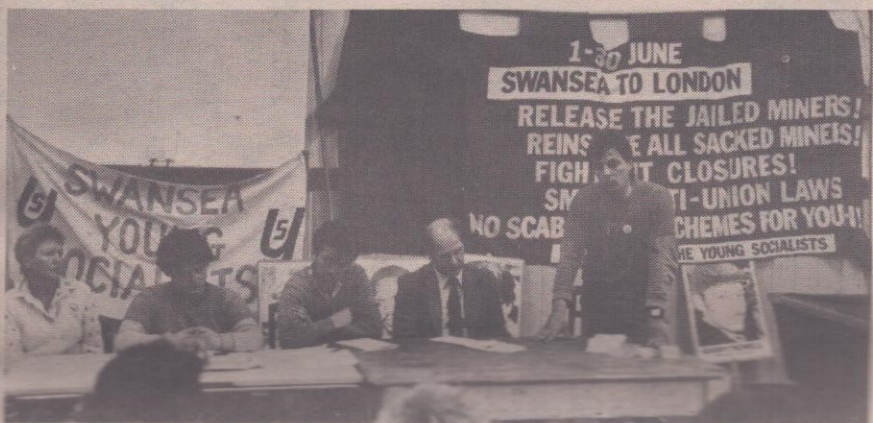
The marchers travelled through the country raising the issue of the portraits of miners killed during the strike. Bonapartist regimes killed during the strike. Raditsela and S. leaders murdered.

Support for the march with trade union committees and other groups joining the march.

# Lessons of 1975 March in Wigan

## Maerdy miners

### LIVERPOOL-TO-LONDON



The platform at the public meeting in Merthyr Young Socialists Training Centre on Thursday. Cliff Jones, Merthyr WRP, addresses the meeting. Other speakers were Anne Sargeant, Matt Fowler and Jim Bevan

Only a few hours later they came up against the same things in practice, when union officials at Bickershaw colliery told them they could not support the march.

In a scene exactly the same as several in the video, four officials were eventually persuaded to come out and speak to the marchers.

### Delegation

This was only after the delegation of the marchers, including Colin, had argued with the officials for several minutes.

Two of them, branch secretary Roy Walls and branch president Burt Oliver, told them that although they agreed with the aims of the march, they could not support it.

Walls said the marchers

should leave the question of the jailed and sacked miners to the union leaders and he accused them of jumping on the bandwagon.

When asked if the lodge could sponsor the march and send a coach to the rally on June 30, Oliver said: 'No we cannot. Our executive committee have taken a decision not to sponsor the march.'

Later Colin Ward gave his views on the actions of the Bickershaw officials. He said: 'If all the jailed and sacked men waited for union leaders to fight for them, they will be waiting forever.'

'As for jumping on the bandwagon, if more organisations, for example the Labour Party and trade union bureaucracies had jumped on the bandwagon during the strike, our lads would not be in jail and 700 of them sacked.'

'This march will keep the issue of the jailed and sacked miners in the foreground, that's why I'm walking to London.'

'If some of the elected officials are not prepared to fight for the victimised men, then we will.'

Again it was a different story in the towns, where workers and youth gave the marchers a fantastic reception, in both Wigan and Leigh.

### Book

Earlier in Wigan, the march was given two copies of Des Warren's book 'The Key To My Cell', donated by the local trades council and UCATT branch.

In presenting the book, Mike Farley, who led the Wigan-to-London march, told the marchers to read them as they would give them many valuable lessons regarding the treacherous role of the Labour and trade union bureaucracy.

The marchers certainly saw the truth of that statement when they arrived at Bickershaw a few hours later.

In Wigan, the marchers were greeted by a delegation from the Lancashire Women Against Pit Closures.

They were Ann Henry, Linda Perry, Carole Sharples and Joan Stonehouse, whose husbands were on strike for 12 months, at Parsonage, Sutton Manor, Parkside and Bold collieries.

Stonehouse said: 'The march is a good idea. It is the continuation of our struggle. We badly need more publicity about the intimidation and harassment the strikers are getting.'

Ex-miner and local councillor John Parkinson also spoke to the marchers.

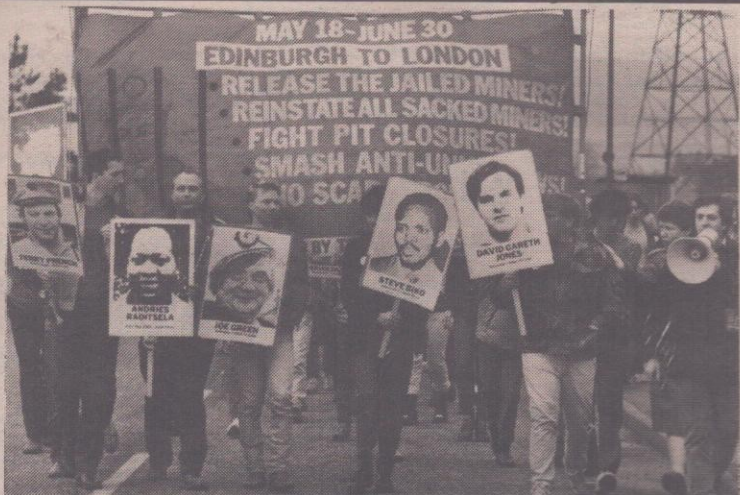
He said: 'Kinnock copped out during the strike and he is copping out now. Working-class solidarity demands as a minimum, calling for the release of jailed miners.'

'The refusal to support that demand exposes the traitors in the Labour Party leadership.'

After leaving Bickershaw, the march stopped off at the social club of Atherton bus garage, for the hot meal provided by the busmen.

They spent last night at Manchester Polytechnic as guests of the student union.

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National March to Release the Jailed Miners sets off on May 18. In front are pictures of David Jones and Joe Green, killed in the miners' strike, and Steve Biko and Andries Raditsela, killed in South Africa

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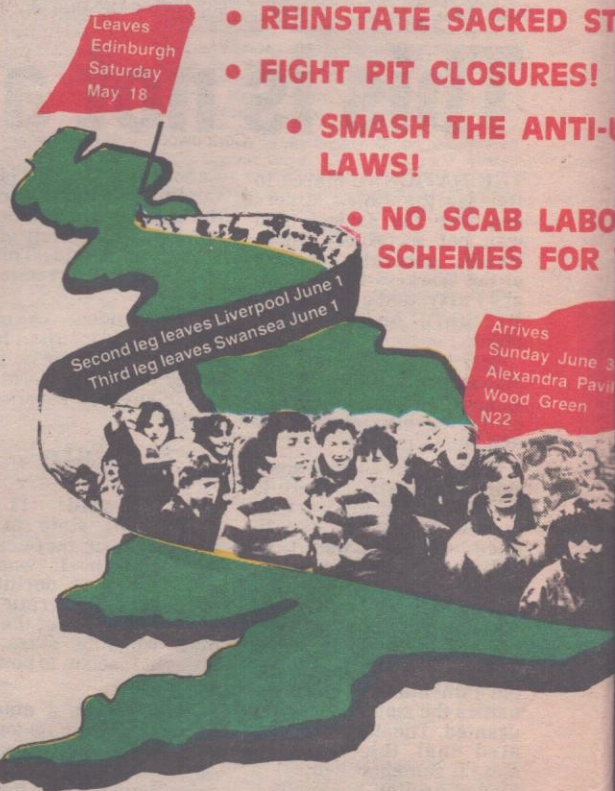
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# to Release Jailed Miners



Union of Mineworkers branch officials at Bickershaw colliery near Leigh, Lancashire, explain to the marchers why there was no reception for them yesterday

## MARCH TO RELEASE JAILED MINERS MAY 18-JUNE 30

### THE ROUTE OF THE MARCH

#### MAIN ROUTE

JUNE 8 Halifax to Huddersfield  
JUNE 9 Huddersfield to Wakefield  
JUNE 10 Wakefield to Grimethorpe  
JUNE 11 Grimethorpe to Doncaster  
JUNE 12 Doncaster to Cortonwood  
JUNE 13 Cortonwood to Barnsley  
JUNE 14 Barnsley to Rotherham  
JUNE 15 Rotherham to Sheffield  
JUNE 16 Sheffield to Chesterfield  
JUNE 17 Chesterfield to Shirebrook

JUNE 18 Shirebrook to Warsop, Clipstone, Mansfield  
JUNE 19 Mansfield to Nottingham  
JUNE 20 Nottingham to Leicester  
JUNE 21 Leicester to Corby  
JUNE 22 Corby to Northampton

#### MARCHES CONVERGE

JUNE 23 Northampton to Bedford  
JUNE 24 Bedford to Luton  
JUNE 25 Luton to Stevenage  
JUNE 26 Stevenage to Welwyn Garden City  
JUNE 27 Welwyn to London

#### NORTH WEST ROUTE

JUNE 8 Manchester  
JUNE 9 Manchester to Winsford  
JUNE 10 Winsford to Crewe  
JUNE 11 Crewe to Stoke-on-Trent  
JUNE 12 Stoke-on-Trent  
JUNE 13 Stoke-on-Trent to Stafford

JUNE 14 Stafford to Cannock  
JUNE 15 Cannock to Wolverhampton  
JUNE 16 Wolverhampton to Walsall  
JUNE 17 Walsall to Birmingham  
JUNE 18 Birmingham  
JUNE 19 Birmingham to Nuneaton  
JUNE 20 Nuneaton to Coventry  
JUNE 21 Coventry to Daventry  
JUNE 22 Daventry to Northampton  
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#### SOUTH WALES ROUTE

JUNE 8 Merthyr to Bedlinog  
JUNE 9 Bedlinog to Ystrad-Mynach  
JUNE 10 Ystrad-Mynach to Abertillery  
JUNE 11 Abertillery to Newbridge  
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JUNE 21 Hungerford to Newbury  
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JUNE 24 Maidenhead to Slough  
JUNE 25 Slough to Southall  
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### MAIN MARCH

#### SATURDAY

10.00a.m. March from Halifax to Huddersfield via Elland  
12 noon Meal at Elland  
2.00p.m. Assemble Ainley Top roundabout and march into Huddersfield  
3.00p.m. Rally at Speakers Corner, Huddersfield  
7.30p.m. Social at Brackenhall Community Centre, Longhill Road

#### SUNDAY

9.00a.m. March from Huddersfield to Wakefield via Dewsbury  
12 noon Meal at Dewsbury Textile Club  
4.00p.m. Assemble Roundwood Junction Broadway, march to Wakefield

#### MONDAY

8.00a.m. March from Wakefield to Grimethorpe  
12 noon Meal in Hemsworth  
7.30p.m. Meeting at Grimethorpe Welfare Hall

### NORTH WEST

#### SATURDAY

11.00a.m. March from All Saints, Oxford Road, Manchester, via Albert Square to Salford Crescent  
2.00p.m. Public meeting at Salford Crescent AUEW  
7.30p.m. Disco at Cheltenham Suite, Salford

#### SUNDAY

10.00a.m. Assemble Manchester Polytechnic Oxford Road. March to Stockport  
1.30p.m. Arrive High Street, Stockport  
8.00p.m. Public meeting Mount Pleasant Community Centre, Cheviot Square, Winsford

#### MONDAY

10.00a.m. Assemble Cheviot Square, march via Middlewich and Sandbach to Crewe  
6.00p.m. Arrive at Crewe town centre  
7.30p.m. Meeting at AUEW, St Pauls Street, Crewe

### SOUTH WALES

#### SATURDAY

10.00a.m. Assemble Promenade Pontmorlais, Merthyr  
11.00a.m. Rally at Merthyr Library, High Street  
2.00p.m. Arrive Rhymney Community Centre  
3.30p.m. March to Bedlinog via Pontllytyn and Fochriw  
7.30p.m. Social in Bedlinog Workingmen's Club

#### SUNDAY

10.00a.m. Assemble Bedlinog town square  
12 noon Meal at Boys Club, Deep Navigation  
1.00p.m. March from Treharris Square  
4.30p.m. Arrive in Ystrad-Mynach  
5.30p.m. Meal at Workingmen's Institute

#### MONDAY

9.30a.m. Assemble Ystrad-Mynach Workingmen's Institute  
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# Scottish Miners'

## BAN IMPOSED ON POLITICAL BANNERS

**CP pave way for Kinnock and Willis**

### SCOTLAND

**EDINBURGH** — Labour Party leader Neil Kinnock and TUC general secretary Norman Willis face a hostile reception when they attend today's Scottish Miners' Annual Gala here.

The two people most responsible for betraying the 12-month miners' strike have been invited by Stalinists Mick McGahey and George Bolton, president and vice-president of the Scottish NUM.

Several Scottish NUM

branches have sent protests to the area executive over today's guests of honour, but they have been ignored.

McGahey and Bolton made the invitations to Kinnock and Willis after moves within the Durham coalfield to block invitations traditionally issued to Labour and TUC leaders to attend the Durham Gala.

In a bid to impose a 'non-political' atmosphere on today's gala, the

NUM area leaders are saying that no political party banners will be able to participate in the gala demonstration through the streets of Edinburgh.

This ban includes the Labour Party, causing particular disappointment to the district Labour Party which had planned to parade a float showing the fight-back by Labour-controlled Edinburgh District Council against Tory cuts.

The 'non-political' gala is in line with the ban on anti-Tory slogans which the Stalinists attempted to impose on the 1983 People's March for Jobs from Glasgow to London.

The main slogan of the gala is 'Peace and Jobs', with the clear emphasis on the pacifist peace line.

A contingent from the National March to Release Jailed Miners is making a special journey

from Yorkshire for the day to join in the gala.

A group of sacked miners from Fife will travel on a float in a specially-constructed cage.

Other speakers at the gala include Peter Heathfield, NUM general secretary, CND chairwoman Joan Ruddock, and Augustine Dufrenoy, general secretary of the French miners' union.

Coal Board bosses are so contemptuous of the Scottish NUM leadership's so-called campaign for reinstatement of the area's 200 sacked miners that new sackings are still taking place.

### Books

The latest is Comrie miner Davie Hoggan, 34, who received his books by post last Saturday only days after being fined £500 at Dunfermline sheriff's court.

Meanwhile doubts have been raised about the major legal action proposed by the Scottish NUM against the coal board over the victimisations.

Bolton, who is chairman of the Communist Party, and McGahey, a member of the Stalinist executive committee, have previously laid great stress on the law suit involving the sacked men in Scotland.

Any announcement that the court action is to be dropped will be delayed until after the gala is over.



Miners, including many sacked men lobbying a Scottish NUM delegate meeting in Edinburgh at the end of the strike

## Health cuts fighter backs march

**DAVID OWEN**, branch secretary for NUPE North, Manchester, told News Line why he supports the March to Release the Jailed Miners.

'We have to defend the right of trade unions which are being decimated by Tory legislation.

'That means fighting for the release of jailed miners and the reinstatement of sacked men.

'The Tory media never tells you about those miners who scabbed on the strike and broke the law, and are still working for the Coal Board — it shows you there are two laws in this

country.

'In my opinion all trade unionists should support this march.'

Working at North Manchester General Hospital, David is at the centre of struggle against the cuts, which are devastating the health service in the area.

'Under the impact of cuts by the Tory-appointed management, the whole purpose of the NHS has been undermined. The health service is no longer about tending for the sick, but how much money can be saved. As a result morale among all staff is very low.

'There has been a recent outbreak of scabies among the night nurses and man-

agement don't seem to be doing anything to stop it spreading. They spend all their time figuring out how to save money.

'Booth Hall children's hospital is under threat of closure,' he continued. 'To save five consultants travelling across Manchester from the South, the whole burns unit and cleft palate unit is going to be moved to Withington hospital.

'Yet the people of North Manchester basically funded the burns unit from charities. And a recent survey found that 75 per cent of people using the hospital come from North Manchester.

'After the burns and cleft

palate units have gone, what's left of Booth Hall will be centralised at our hospital — which has no specialised children's facilities.'

'As regards privatisation,' he continued, 'You can't make money and care for people. The domestic services at Manchester's Northern Hospital will be sold off to privateers next month, and the catering services the month after.

'Our hospital will no longer launder for Manchester Royal Infirmary and Trafford are going to tender soon. This will mean more redundancies.

'North Manchester Generals' portering depart-

ment has been cut by £40,000 — that means five porter's jobs have gone.

'As regards ward closures, management are playing the numbers game, moving wards to different hospitals, but at the end of the day we have lost four wards forever, and six wards closed at Delauney's geriatric unit in the past 18 months.

'Even staff who use our day nursery are suffering from cuts — they pay for the service. Now they will be taxed for it as well.

'In other words, people will be taxed for coming to work. Now let Fowler say the health service isn't under attack.'

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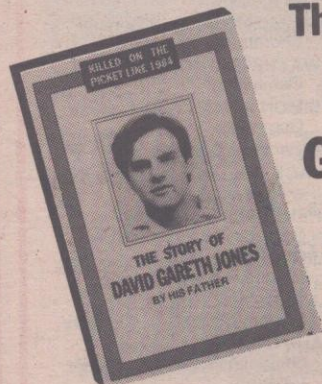
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# Gala Day



The 200 or so sacked Scottish miners arriving at London's Kings Cross station on Thursday to lobby MPs

BY PENNY BLOOR

**TWO SACKED** miners from Bilston Glen, who took part in Thursday's lobby of parliament, criticised the Labour Party and TUC leaders for their role during and after the 12-month strike.

The 200 sacked Scots miners who made the rail trip to London were addressed by Labour Party leader Neil Kinnock, TUC general secretary Norman Willis and GLC leader Ken Livingstone.

'I am not 100 per cent satisfied with Neil Kinnock because he didn't give a full commitment to reinstatement, especially to the jailed men,' said Francis Rae. 'That's where I think the crack in his speech came.'

'I don't think he did enough in the strike, it's as simple as that.'

'I think the TUC let the miners badly down as a movement. They pledged support at conference and never backed it up.'

'I think the miners were actually dependent on the rest of the trade union movement to win the fight and they never came up with the goods.'

At Bilston Glen 37 men have been sacked. Rae said: 'The NCB have actually been judge and jury. They've no right to be judge and jury.'

'It's the same as any other place of work. Your employer hasn't got the right. It's nothing to do with your employer.'

'I was sacked because of a trumped-up breach of the peace. For just being on a picket line the court fined me £100.'

'You could just be

## 'TUC let miners down badly' — says Bilston Glen miner

standing at a pit gate demonstrating against pit closures, not to even stop people going in that pit. As far as justice goes, it's all screwed.

'The miners being in jail, I think that's totally wrong. It was an industrial dispute and the reason most of them are in jail is because the NCB put them there.'

Rae is completely opposed to the NCB's insistence that the sacked men should go to an In-

dustrial Tribunal to try and get their jobs back.

'It's all wrong. I don't see why the men should have to justify themselves,' he said.

Edward Kiman was also sacked just for being on a picket line.

'I don't think men should be in jail,' he said. 'The two men in Wales should never have got life. It was never intentional, it was accidental, what happened.'

'As for the violence, I

blame it all on the police and MacGregor. We were intimidated by the police.'

'Even on the day I got arrested I saw six policemen in a van and I heard an inspector tell them to go out and fill up the van.'

Kiman said he had expected no guarantees from Kinnock.

'I'm all for the Labour Party, but he made a statement before, during the strike, that he didn't believe in violence.'

'I was charged with breach of the peace. I was standing off the picket line in the middle of the road when the arresting sergeant called me a trouble maker.'

'He told me to move. I tried to move and found I was surrounded by police.'

When he got to court two different policemen told two different stories about the circumstances of his arrest. But Kiman still got fined £200 and lost his job.

## Railmen's cash threatened for backing miners

RAIL unions have been given seven days to pay British Rail £200,000 to avoid High Court action over their support for the miners during the 12-month strike.

In a letter to the unions, British Rail said yesterday that 'the letter is a preliminary to legal action by the Board to recover damages and invites the unions to admit liability'.

Any High Court action would be taken under

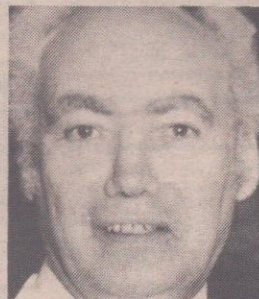
Tory anti-union legislation outlawing 'secondary' action by one group of workers in support of others.

The figure of £200,000 is short of the £250,000 plus expenses for which the larger of the two main rail unions, the NUR, could be held responsible in law.

British Rail said they calculated the figure from loss of freight and passenger traffic during the miners' strike.

The management also said they intended to take separate legal action against both the NUR and ASLEF over the one-day protest strike in Scotland against the closure of the Springburn engineering works.

NUR secretary Jimmy Knapp said yesterday: 'It is regrettable that this course of action should be taken at a time when the Board themselves state that the industry would require stability in



JIMMY KNAPP

the aftermath of the mining dispute.

'It will inevitably make impossible co-operation with some of the measures which the Board has set their heart on.'

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#### SCOTLAND

**CUMBERNAULD:** Wednesday June 19, 7.30p.m. Lesser Hall, Town Centre.  
Speakers: Chris Corrigan (WRP Central Committee); Barry Huxton (YS Regional Committee); In personal capacity: Charlie Shaw (Castle Hill NUM); John Dempster (Inland Revenue Staffs Federation branch committee)

**EDINBURGH:** Wednesday June 19, 7.30p.m. Westrailes Education Centre, 5 Murrayburn Drive.  
Speakers: Terence Brotherstone (Edinburgh WRP); John Ritchie (YS Regional Committee); In personal capacity: Rab Carter (Secretary South Queensferry Labour Party)

**EDINBURGH:** Tuesday June 25, 7.30p.m. Edinburgh Trades Council, 12 Picardy Place.  
Speakers: Alex McLarty (WRP Central Committee); Ian Gardner (Edinburgh YS); In personal capacity: Jim Stocks (Forth and District chairman of the CSEU)

**KIRKCALDY:** Thursday June 27, 7.30p.m. Adam Smith Centre, Bennochly Road.  
Speakers: Terry Brotherstone (WRP District Committee); John Ritchie (YS Regional Committee)

#### NORTH WEST

**PRESTON:** Tuesday June 18, 7.30p.m. Maudland Cultural and Social Club, Maudland Bank.  
Speakers: Maria Sloane (YS Regional Committee); Tony Banda (WRP Central Committee); Billy Trainor (CEU, CSEU delegate, in personal capacity)

**BURNLEY:** Sunday June 23, 6.30p.m. AUEW Rooms, Hargreaves Street, across from GPO.  
Speakers: Lyn Waring (YS National Committee); Ray Waring (WRP Central Committee); Dave Fishwick (GMBATU, in personal capacity). Plus showing of film: 'The Bolsheviks'.

#### WEST MIDLANDS

**BIRMINGHAM:** Monday June 10, 7.30p.m. Ladywood Community Centre, Ladywood.  
Speakers: Mervyn Marshall (YS Regional Committee); Corin Redgrave (WRP Central Committee); Speaker from West Midlands NUM

#### EASTERN

**PETERBOROUGH:** Monday June 10, 7.30p.m. St Johns School, Orton Goldhay.  
Speakers: Sammy Tams (YS Regional Committee); Pat Brookes (Peterborough WRP)

**CAMBRIDGE:** Monday June 10, 7.30p.m. Fisher Hall, Guildhall Street.  
Speakers: Mark Harrison (YS Regional Committee); Chris Bailey (Cambridge WRP)

**NORWICH:** Tuesday June 18, 7.30p.m. Spinney Community Centre, Earlham Road.  
Speakers: Mandy Hogg (YS Regional Committee); Mark Harrison (Norwich WRP)

**IPSWICH:** Wednesday June 19, 7.30p.m. Safe Harbour, Meredith Road, Whitton.  
Speakers: Mandy Hogg (YS Regional Committee); Martin Booth (Cambridge WRP)

#### BEDS

**LUTON:** Thursday June 20, 7.30p.m. Hightown Recreation Centre, Old Bedford Road.  
Speakers: Richard Hatfield (Luton YS); Paul Stickley (Watford WRP)

#### SUSSEX

**CRAWLEY:** Tuesday June 11, 7.30p.m. Ifield Community Centre, Ifield Drive.  
Speakers: Graham Fenwick (YS Regional Committee); Joe Kierney (Crawley WRP)

**BRIGHTON:** Tuesday June 18, 7.30p.m. The Springfield Arms, Springfield Road.  
Speakers: Graham Fenwick (YS Regional Committee); John Hulme (Brighton WRP); Joe Kierney (Crawley WRP)

#### HERTS

**WELWYN GARDEN CITY:** Wednesday June 12, 7.30p.m. Room 2, Woodhall Community Centre, Mill Green Road.  
Speakers: Amanda Whitmore (Colney Heath YS); Paul Stickley (Watford WRP)

#### LONDON

**HOLLOWAY:** Wednesday June 12, 7.30p.m. Caxton House, St John's Way, N19.  
Speakers: Elizabeth Ali (YS Regional Committee); Ian Harrison (WRP London District Committee)

**STOKE NEWINGTON:** Wednesday June 12, 7.30p.m. Hall of Remembrance, Clissold Road, N16.  
Speakers: Marianne Kane (YS National Committee); Richard Goldstein (WRP London District Committee)

**BARKING:** Thursday June 13, 7.30p.m. Small Hall, Barking Methodist Hall, London Road.  
Speakers: Julie Hyland (YS National Secretary); Keith Scotcher (Barking WRP)

**HARLESDEN:** Tuesday June 18, 7.30p.m. Sladebrook School (New Building), Brentfield Road, NW10.  
Speakers: Matt Hanlon (YS National Committee); Sam Cox (WRP London District Committee)

**DALSTON:** Thursday June 20, 7.30p.m. Dalston Library, Dalston Lane, E8.  
Speakers: Nigel Anthony (YS Regional Committee); Bill Rogers (WRP London District Committee)

**STRATFORD:** Thursday June 20, 7.30p.m. Music Room, Stratford School, Upton Lane.  
Speakers: Lee David (YS Regional Committee); Vivienne Brooks (WRP London District Committee)

**PADDINGTON:** Tuesday June 25, 7.30p.m. Marble Arch International School, 21 Star Street.  
Speakers: Dolly Short (YS Editor); Barran Hulme (North Kensington WRP)

**DEPTFORD:** Wednesday June 26, 7.30p.m. Evelyn Community Centre, Kingfisher Square, Clyde Street, SE8.  
Speakers: Eric Morgan (YS Regional Committee); Richard Price (WRP Central Committee)

**CLERKENWELL:** Wednesday June 26, 7.30p.m. The Betsy, Farringdon Lane, EC1.  
Speakers: Jason Allen (YS Regional Committee); Richard Price (WRP Central Committee)

**STOKE NEWINGTON:** Thursday June 27, 7.30p.m. Community Centre, Old Fire Station, Brooke Road, N16.  
Speakers: Marianne Kane (YS National Secretary); Peter Curtis (WRP London District Committee)

**CLAPTON:** Tuesday July 9, 7.30p.m. Homerton Library, Homerton High Street, E9.  
Speakers: Nigel Anthony (Hackney YS); Bill Rogers (WRP London District Committee)

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#### WEST CROYDON

Wednesday June 19, 7.30p.m. Railway Bell Pub, North End opp. West Croydon station

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

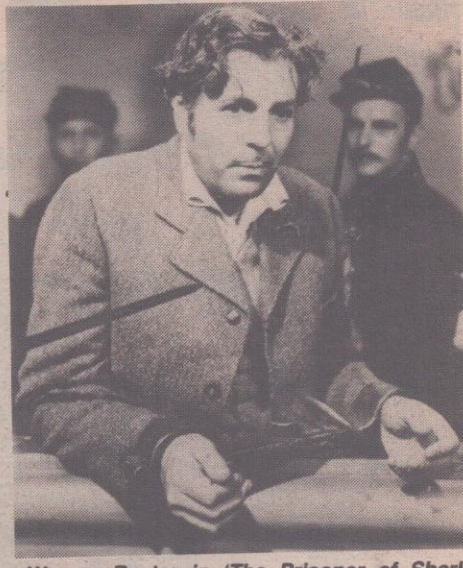


# YOUR TV GUIDE

## SATURDAY



Josee Ruiter and Lotje Lohr as Heleen and her daughter Sanne in 'Sanne' on 4 at 8.15



Warner Baxter in 'The Prisoner of Shark Island' on 4 at 1.55pm

### BBC1

6.45-8.25 OPEN UNIVERSITY: 6.45 Water By the Volume. 7.10 Photochemistry. 7.35 The Symmetry of Nature. 8.00 Philosophy.

8.30 The Saturday Picture Show. 10.55 Film: *Run Wild, Run Free* (1969) Mark Lester stars as a mute boy in Dartmoor whose only friend is a wild, white colt. With John Mills and Sylvia Syms.

12.30 GRANDSTAND: 12.50 News Summary, Weather News; Rugby Union (12.35); Tennis (12.55, 2.45); Racing from Haydock (2.00, 2.35, 3.10, 3.45 races); Golf, Dunhill British Masters (2.05, 3.50); Water Skiing (3.15, 4.20); 4.45 Boxing; 4.55 Final Score.

5.05 NEWS Weather News

5.15 SPORT/REGIONAL NEWS

5.20 THE NEW ADVENTURES OF WONDER WOMAN Aliens provide the crimefighter extraordinaire (Lynda Carter) with her most dangerous challenge in *Mind Stealers from Outer Space*

6.05 THE KEITH HARRIS SHOW with guests Simon Bates, Barbara Dickson, Ian McCaskill and others

6.40 AT THE EARTH'S CORE (1976) Scientists Peter Cushing and Doug McClure discover a terrifying prehistoric world enclosed in a vast subterranean cave. Caroline Munro is the female interest

8.10 THE KENNY EVERETT TELEVISION SHOW

8.40 DYNASTY *Swept Away*

9.25 NEWS AND SPORT Weather News

9.40 WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP BOXING Live from QPR football stadium in west London, the World Featherweight Championship between Irishman Barry McGuigan and current champion Eusebio Pedroza from Panama

10.45 BIG JAKE (1971) John Wayne is on the trail of his kidnapped grandson in this Western set at the turn of the century. With Richard Boone, Maureen O'Hara

12.30 Weather; Closedown

### BBC2

6.50 OPEN UNIVERSITY: 6.50 Popular Culture. 7.40 Science. 8.05 Ecology. 8.30 The Natural History Museum. 8.55 Time for Design. 9.20 Physical Chemistry. 9.45 The Case of the Missing Skills. 10.10 Calculus. 10.35 Education. 11.00 Lavas of Etna. 11.25 Pine Point Mine. 11.50 Seventeenth-century England. 12.15 Studying with the OU. 12.40 Reading Development. 1.05 Sanctions and Rhodesia. 1.30 Science. 1.55 Feature Films as Propaganda. 2.20 Modern Art: Mondrian. 2.45 The 19th-century Novel.

3.10 SATURDAY CINEMA: *The Unguarded Moment* (1956) Esther Williams plays a high school teacher threatened with ruin by a psychotic pupil and his father. Also with George Nader and John Saxon

4.40 INTERNATIONAL GOLF

6.20 THE SKY AT NIGHT *Little Worlds* Patrick Moore talks about the asteroid Amphitrite and other minor planets orbiting the sun between the paths of Mars and Jupiter

6.40 THE BIRDMAN OF JACKSONVILLE Using a private jet, two helicopters, four assistants, and much more world champion birdwatcher Jim Vardam sets out to beat the British 24-hour record

7.30 CHRIS DE BURGH IN CONCERT

8.10 NEWS AND SPORT Weather

8.25 KLEMPERER CONDUCTS BEETHOVEN The Choral Symphony recorded at the Royal Albert Hall in 1964 is being shown to mark the centenary of the birth of the German conductor, Otto Klemperer

9.40 SATURDAY REVIEW Subjects tonight include Peter Terson's play 'Strippers', American photography at the Barbican, and interviews with Raymond Carver and Susan Chitty

10.40 DESECRATION (1981) An island community off the west coast of Ireland is disrupted when a valuable mineral deposit is discovered close to a 14th-century castle. With Tom Hickey

11.35 INTERNATIONAL GOLF

12.20 Close

### CHANNEL 4

1.00 CHIPS COMIC *Keep it Clean*

1.25 LISTENING EYE A look at sign language

1.55 THE PRISONER OF SHARK ISLAND (1936) Based on the story of Dr Samuel Mudd who was sentenced to life imprisonment on the hellish penitentiary of Shark Island after innocently treating the assassin of President Lincoln. With Warner Baxter

3.40 MICHAEL SHAYNE, PRIVATE DETECTIVE (1940) The wisecracking Irish-American detective is hired by a wealthy race-track commission member to protect his daughter from gangland characters. With Lloyd Nolan and Marjorie Weaver

5.05 BROOKSIDE OMNIBUS

6.00 THE MAX HEADROOM SHOW

6.30 BABBLE

7.00 NEWS SUMMARY and Weather; followed by

7 DAYS

7.30 UNION WORLD Ann Lester reports on the growth of the TASS union

8.00 TALES FROM A LONG ROOM *Cricket Ahoy*

8.15 SANNE The first of a new Dutch drama serial about the teenage daughter of a Defence Ministry worker who becomes involved in the anti-nuclear campaign

8.45 MY WORLD AND WELCOME TO IT *The Saga of Dimity Ann* Return of the comedy series based on the cartoons and writings of James Thurber

9.15 TO BE A YELLOWBELLY ... ? *Yellowbelly Women* A would-be shepherdess, a stock-woman, shepherd's wives and seasonal workers in Lincolnshire talk about their lives

10.00 OCTOPUS — POWER OF THE MAFIA Inspector Cattani has survived the ambush and arrests Cirina the drug pusher

11.15 THE LATE CLIVE JAMES

11.45 NAKED CITY *The King of Venus Will Take Care of You* An 11-year-old boy and a police suspect fight for domination of a New York hide-out

1.00 THE PAUL HOGAN SHOW

1.25 Closedown

### LWT

6.15 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 LWT Information. 9.30 Matt and Jenny on the Wilderness Trail. 10.00 No.73. 11.00 The Champions.

12.15 WORLD OF SPORT: 12.20 Westling from Morley. 12.45 News; Australian Pools Check. 12.50 Basketball: Boston Celtics v Los Angeles Lakers. 1.20 Ice Hockey: Edmonton Oilers v Philadelphia Flyers. 1.35 Racing from Epsom (1.45, 2.15, 3.00 races). 1.55 World Championship Boxing: Lightweight Championship, Michael Spinks v James McDonald. 2.25 International Athletics: GRE European Club's Trophy. 3.15, 4.10 International Schoolboy Soccer: England v Switzerland. 4.00 News Round-Up. 4.55 Results.

5.05 NEWS FROM ITN

5.10 THE SMURFS *The Littlest Witch*

5.30 CONNECTIONS With Sue Robbie

6.00 THE SATURDAY 6 O'CLOCK SHOW

6.50 THE COMEDIANS

7.20 THE PRICE IS RIGHT

8.15 HUNTER *The Garbage Man*

9.15 NEWS FROM ITN AND SPORT

9.30 ERROL FLYNN: MY WICKED, WICKED WAYS (1985 TV Movie) Based on Flynn's autobiography, which concentrates on his womanising and boozing but makes no mention of his fascist connections. With Duncan Regehr and Barbara Hershey; followed by

LONDON NEWS HEADLINES

12.05 MAGNUM *Squeeze Play*

12.55 BIZARRE with John Byner

1.20 Night Thoughts and Closedown

### GRANADA

6.15 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 Cartoon. 9.35 Captain Scarlet and the Mysterons. 10.00 No.73. 11.20 Chips.

12.15 WORLD OF SPORT: 12.20 Wrestling from Morley; 12.45 News; Australian Pools Check; 12.50 Basketball: the NBA Finals; 1.35 Racing from Epsom (1.45, 2.15, 2.45 races); 1.55 World Championship Boxing; 2.25 International Athletics; 3.15, 4.10 International Schoolboy Soccer, England v Switzerland; 4.00 News Round-Up; 4.55 Results

5.05 ITN NEWS

5.10 THE SEVENTH VOYAGE OF SINBAD (1958) Fantasy adventure with Kerwin Matthews and Kathryn Grant. Sinbad travels to a distant island to search for a piece of roc's eggshell which will restore a princess to her normal size

6.50 THE COMEDIANS

7.20 THE PRICE IS RIGHT Leslie Crowther invites contestants to win spot prizes

8.15 HUNTER *The Garbage Man* A parole officer is found murdered and detectives Hunter and McCall set out to track down the killer

9.15 ITN NEWS

9.30 ERROL FLYNN: MY WICKED, WICKED WAYS (1985) With Duncan Regehr, Barbara Hershey, Darren McGavin and Lee Purcell. Dramatisation based on Flynn's autobiography tracing his life from arrival in Hollywood in 1935 to his acquittal of a rape charge in 1943

12.05 GENESIS IN AMERICA

1.00 COMEDY TONIGHT *The Laugh Makers*

1.25 Closedown

### S4C

1.30 Farming on 4. 2.00 A Question of Economics. 2.30 A Week in Politics. 3.15 An Inordinate Fondness for Beetles. 4.10 The Americans at War: *The Battle of Russia*. The Three Stooges. 6.10 The Medicine Men. 6.40 The Avengers. 7.40 Chwechawd Rhyngwladol Cymru. 8.25 Lisa, Y Difri a'r Digri. 9.25 The Bright Side. 9.55 Lou Grant. 10.50 Film: *The Talk of the Town*. 1.00 Close.

### RADIO

**1** News on the half-hour until 12.30p.m., then 2.30, 3.30, 5.30, 7.30, 9.30 and 12 midnight.

6.00 Graham Bannerman. 8.00 Peter Powell. 10.00 Dave Lee Travis. 1.00 30 years of Rock (S). 2.00 Paul Gambaccini (S). 4.00 Saturday Live (S). 6.30 In Concert (S) Katarina and the Waves and Seven West. 7.30 Janice Long with Simply Red and Fruits of Passion. 9.30-12.00 Dixie Peach.

VHF: 9.45 BBC International Festival of Light Music. 10.02 Sports Desk. 10.05 Steve Jones.

**2** News on the hour until 1p.m., then 3.00 and from 6.00 (except 8.00 and 9.00). Headlines 6.30a.m., 7.30.

4.00 Mark Williams (S). 6.00 George Fergusson (S). 8.05 David Jacobs (S). 10.00 Sounds of the 60s (S). 11.00 Album Time (S) (11.02 Sports Desk). 12.30 Vince Hill's Solid Gold Music Show (S). 1.00 The Good Human Guide. 1.30 Sport on 2. 6.00 Folk on 2. 7.00 Three in a Row. 7.30 Cricket Scoreboard; BBC International Festival of Light Music (S) (8.30-8.50 Interval). 9.45 Big Fight Special: Barry McGuigan v Eusebio Pedroza. 11.00 Steve Jones (S). 12.05 Night Owls (S). 1.00 Hilary Osborn (S) presents Nightride. 3.00-4.00 Wally Whyton (S) introduces Country Concert.

**3** 6.55 Weather. 7.00 News. 7.05 Aubade (S) Liszt, Rodrigo, Gade, Arnold, Elgar. 9.00 News. 9.05 Record Review (S) Berlioz's Grande Messe des Morts. 10.15 Stereo Release (S) Faure, Mendelssohn, Copland, Barber. 11.10 BBC Symphony Orchestra in Madrid (S) Chabrier, Beethoven (11.45-11.50 Interval) Shostakovich. 1.00 News. 1.05 Budapest Wind Ensemble (S) Krommer, Seiber, Mozart. 2.00 Handel and Haydn (S) Handel's Royal Fireworks music and an organ concerto and Haydn's Helligmesse (2.35-2.40 Interval). 3.25 Piano Recital (S) Tchaikovsky, Schubert transcr. Liszt, Grieg. 4.05 Vaughan Williams and Stravinsky (S). 5.45 Critics' Forum. 6.35 Music for the Iron Voice (S) S. Aguilera de Heredia, Gaspar dos Reis, Pablo Bruna, Pedro de Araujo. 7.15 Boumoumouth Symphony Orchestra (S) Bridge and Vaughan Williams. 8.00 Aldeburgh Festival 1985 (S) Mendelssohn, Berg (8.45-9.05 A Portrait of John Drinkwater) Dvorak. 9.45 Junge Deutsche Philharmonie (S) Lutoslawski, Bernd Alois Zimmermann. 10.30 The Song of Roland (S) 12th century epic translated by C.H. Sisson with incidental music by Nigel Osborne. 11.00 Gordon Jacob (S) chamber music. 11.57-12.00 News.

VHF: 6.35-6.55a.m. Open University.

**4** 5.55 Shipping Forecast. 6.00 News Briefing; Weather. 6.10 Prelude (S). 6.30 News; Farming Today. 6.50 Prayer for the Day. 6.55 Weather; Travel. 7.00 News. 7.10 Today's Papers. 7.15 On Your Farm. 7.45 In Perspective. 7.50 Down to Earth. 7.55 Weather; Travel. 8.00 News. 8.10 Today's Papers. 8.15 Sport on 4. 8.48 Yesterday in Parliament. 8.57 Weather; Travel. 9.00 News. 9.05 After Henry. 9.35 Great Liners. 9.50 News Stand. 10.05 The Week in Westminster. 10.30 Pick of the Week (S). 11.30 From Our Own Correspondent. 12.00 News; Money Box. 12.27 I'm Sorry I Haven't a Clue (S). 12.55 Weather. 1.00 News. 1.10 Any Questions? 1.55 Shipping Forecast. 2.00 The Afternoon Play (S) *Buffet*. 3.05 Radio Active (S). 3.30 Explorers Extraordinary (S). 4.15 Enterprise. 4.45 Letter From A Mining Village. 5.00 Wildlife (S). 5.25 Week Ending (S). 5.50 Shipping Forecast. 5.55 Weather; Travel. 6.00 News; Sports Round-Up. 6.25 Russell Harty's Musical Encounters (S). 7.05 Stop The Week With Robert Robinson (S). 7.45 Baker's Dozen (S). 8.30 Saturday-Night Theatre (S) *The Deep Blue Sea*. 9.58 Weather. 10.00 News. 10.15 Evening Service (S). 10.30 Sarah Bernhardt's Niece. 11.00 Science Now. 11.30 The Cabaret Upstairs (S). 12.00-12.15 News; Weather. 12.33 Shipping Forecast.

### ROUND THE REGIONS

#### TYNE TEES

6.15 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 Morning Glory. 9.30 Scooby Doo. 9.55 Young Lookaround. 10.00 No.73. 11.20 Chips. 12.15 World of Sport (12.45 News). 5.05 News. 5.10 Film: *The 7th Voyage of Sinbad*. 6.50 The Comedians. 7.20 The Price is Right. 8.15 Hunter. 9.15 News. 9.30 Film: *Errol Flynn: My Wicked, Wicked Ways*. 12.00 Epilogue; Closedown.

#### CENTRAL

6.15 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 Cartoon Time. 9.35 Scooby Doo. 10.00 No.73. 11.20 Chips. 12.15 World of Sport (12.45 News). 5.05 News. 5.10 Film: *The 7th Voyage of Sinbad*. 6.50 The Comedians. 7.20 The Price is Right. 8.15 Hunter. 9.15 News. 9.30 Film: *Errol Flynn: My Wicked, Wicked Ways*. 12.05 Closedown.

#### YORKSHIRE

6.15 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 Regional Weather Forecast; Cartoon Time. 9.35 Scooby Doo. 10.00 No.73. 11.20 Captain Scarlet and the Mysterons. 11.50 Joanie Loves Chachi. 12.15 World of Sport

(12.45 News). 5.05 News. 5.10 Film: *The 7th Voyage of Sinbad*. 6.50 The Comedians. 7.20 The Price is Right. 8.15 Hunter. 9.15 News. 9.30 Film: *Errol Flynn: My Wicked, Wicked Ways*. 12.20 That's Hollywood. 12.30 Closedown.

#### TSW

6.15 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 Cartoon. 9.30 Captain Scarlet and the Mysterons. 9.57 Gus Honeybun's Magic Birthdays. 10.00 No.73. 11.20 Freeze Frame. 12.12 TSW Regional News. 12.15 World of Sport (12.45 News). 5.05 News; TSW Regional News. 5.12 Film: *The 7th Voyage of Sinbad*. 6.50 The Comedians. 7.20 The Price is Right. 8.15 Hunter. 9.15 News; Sport; Weather. 9.30 Film: *Errol Flynn: My Wicked, Wicked Ways*. 12.05 The Moviemakers. 12.40 Postscript; South West Weather; Shipping Forecast; Closedown.

#### TVS

6.15 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 Porky Pig. 9.35 Scooby Doo. 10.00 No.73. 11.20 The Green Hornet. 11.45 Sealab 2020. 12.12 TVS Weather. 12.15 World of Sport (12.45 News). 5.05 News; TVS News. 5.10 Connections. 5.40 The Wonderful Stories of Professor Kitzel. 5.50 Knight Rider. 6.50 The Comedians. 7.20 The Price is Right. 8.15

Hunter. 9.15 News; Sport. 9.30 Film: *Errol Flynn: My Wicked, Wicked Ways*. 12.05 Freeze Frame. 12.35 Company; Closedown.

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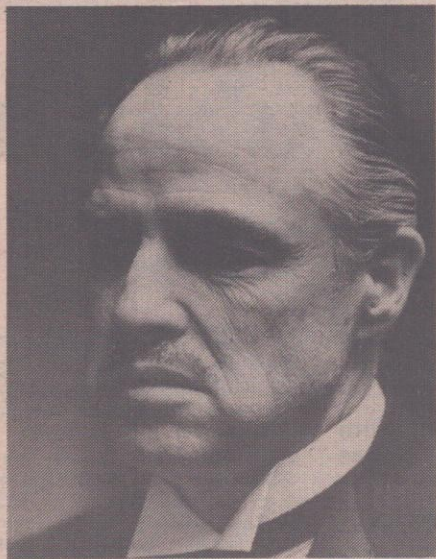
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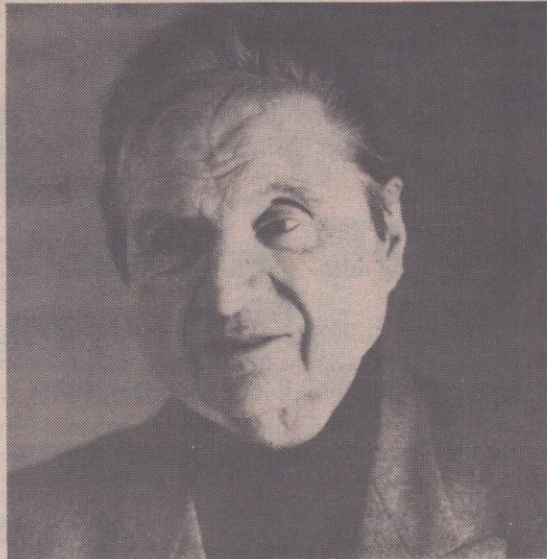
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## SUNDAY



Marlon Brando stars in 'The Godfather' on BBC2 at 9



'The South Bank Show' features 'Francis Bacon' on ITV at 10.30



'Blanche Fury' with Stewart Granger and Valerie Hobson is on 4 at 10.15



Sarah Badel joins 'The Irish RM' on 4 at 8.15

## BBC1

6.45-8.50 OPEN UNIVERSITY: 6.45 Telephone Switching. 7.10 The Dairadian of Banffshire. 7.35 Ring of Steel. 8.00 The Return of the Fly. 8.25 Chemistry.

8.55 Play School. 9.15 Superbook. 9.30 This is the Day. 10.00 Asian Magazine. 10.30 Birth Right. 10.55 Never Too Late. . . . 11.20 Inside YTS. 11.45 Business Club. 12.10 Honourable Members. 12.35 Farming. 12.58 Weather News for Farmers. 1.00 News Headlines. 1.05 Golf: Live Coverage of Dunhill British Masters. 2.00 Eastenders. 3.00 Tom and Jerry. 3.10 Comedy Matinee: *Private's Progress* (1956) With Ian Carmichael, Richard Attenborough in a comedy about army life. 4.45 The Montreux Rock Festival. 5.35 Goodbye Mr Chips.

6.05 NEWS Weather News

6.15 PRAISE BE!

6.50 INTERNATIONAL FOOTBALL Coverage of Mexico v England from Mexico's Aztec Stadium, introduced by Jimmy Hill with Bobby Charlton

9.00 NEWS; Weather News

9.15 THAT'S LIFE Esther Rantzen and her team with real-life humour and investigations into consumer complaints

10.00 HEART OF THE MATTER Looking at proposals to build a nuclear fuel plant at Dounreay, Scotland

10.50 THE PAST AFLOAT Series about historic ships and maritime museums in Britain. Fifth of eight films: *The Silver Darlings*

11.00 THE GREEKS HAVE A WORD FOR IT Leading Greek personalities discuss modern Greek history in the first of two films: *Romiosini — In Search of Grekness*

11.30 Weather; Closedown

BBC WALES: 10.00 Corpus Christi. 10.30 Heart of the Matter. 11.05 The Greeks Have a Word for It. 11.35 News Headlines; Weather; Close.

## BBC2

6.50 OPEN UNIVERSITY: 6.50 Adult Education. 7.05 Curriculum in Action. 7.40 Donegal: Tradition and Change. 8.05 Roman Architecture and Town Planning. 8.30 Database. 8.55 Maths Methods. 9.20 Questioning Theories. 9.45 Maths. 10.10 Pure Maths. 10.35 Topology. 11.00 Trading in Uncertainty. 11.25 Education. 11.50 Diabetes. 12.15 Open Government? 12.40 Bedford. 1.05 A Study of Drawings. 1.30 Business Economics.

1.55 GRANDSTAND: Including Golf — From Woburn; Tennis — The French Open from Paris; Motor Racing — Coverage from Silverstone; plus the French Derby and water skiing from the KP Masters

6.50 NEWS REVIEW with subtitles

7.15 STUART BURROWS SINGS The Welsh tenor is joined by soprano Diana Montague in another programme of popular songs, ballads and operatic arias with John Constable (piano) and the BBC Welsh Symphony Orchestra

7.50 DEBUT Sarah Greene meets young people in the arts — this week a pianist, four actors, a harpsichord maker, theatre designer and choreographer

8.20 THE DYING SWAN Prizewinning film from BBC East, the story of one man's struggle to save some of the 3,000 swans poisoned each year by anglers' lead weights, narrated by Ian Holm

8.50 DANCE INTERNATIONAL A preview of a new series featuring companies from around the world

9.00 THE GODFATHER (1971) Marlon Brando and Al Pacino star in Francis Ford Coppola's box-office breaker shown in its original cinema version (Part 2 next Saturday)

11.50 INTERNATIONAL GOLF Highlights of the first round of the Dunhill British Masters from Woburn

12.35 Closedown

BBC2 WALES: 1.55-6.50 Sunday Grandstand: Includes cricket — coverage of one of today's matches in the John Player Sunday League

## CHANNEL 4

1.05 THEIR LORDSHIPS' HOUSE A Week in the House of Lords

1.30 FACE THE PRESS NUT leader Fred Jarvis faces journalists' questions

2.00 A QUESTION OF ECONOMICS *The Right to Manage?*

2.25 THE GAUNT STRANGER (1938) Wilfred Lawson plays a criminal threatened with death by his former partner and master-of-disguise, The Ringer

3.50 BERMUDA MYSTERY (1944) Comedy-thriller with Preston Foster as a private detective whose suspects keep falling victim to poisoned cigarettes. With Ann Rutherford

5.00 BACK TO THE ROOTS A *Natural Partnership* Richard Mabey looks a man's influence on the land

5.30 NEWS SUMMARY AND WEATHER followed by THE BUSINESS PROGRAMME

6.15 THE MISSISSIPPI *Joey* Return of the river-boat based American private-eye Ben Walker

7.15 HERITAGE: CIVILIZATION AND THE JEWS *The Power of the Word* Part two of this history of the Jews as told by Abba Eban, former Ambassador to the UN for the Zionist state of Israel

8.15 THE IRISH R.M. *Apollo Riggs* The Major's sister and her army captain cousin decide to visit Ireland to help look after him

9.15 COLUMBA *Colum Cille* Alastair Hetherington looks at the life of the Irish-born St Columba

10.15 BLANCHE FURY (1948) Period melodrama with Valerie Hobson as a governess who marries a wealthy heir while really in love with the family's steward. With Michael Gough and Stewart Granger

12.00 Close

## LWT

6.55 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 LWT Information. 9.30 Cool Cat. 9.45 Porky Pig. 10.00 Morning Worship. 11.00 Link. 11.30 Working for a Better Life. 12.00 Weekend World: Will the west be forced to take sanctions against South Africa? 1.00 Police 5. 1.15 The Smurfs. 1.30 Groovy Ghoules. 2.00 A Full Life. 2.30 London News Headlines; followed by Nobody Said It Was Easy. . . . The Story of Operation Raleigh. 3.30 Athletics. 4.30 Pretenders. 5.00 Now You See It. 5.30 Simon and Simon.

6.30 NEWS FROM ITN

6.40 APPEAL

6.45 HIGHWAY

7.15 WINNER TAKES ALL Presented by Jimmy Tarbuck

7.45 MURDER, SHE WROTE *Deadly Lady* When Jessica investigates the strange murder of the wealthy Stephen Earl, suspicion falls on his four daughters

8.45 NEWS FROM ITN

9.00 CONNIE

10.00 MOG A Night Out

10.30 THE SOUTH BANK SHOW Film of the acclaimed and controversial painter Francis Bacon who at 75 still works and plays hard. He is seen at work in his studio and on a tour of his favourite bars, clubs and gambling joints in Soho

11.30 LONDON NEWS HEADLINES

AMERICAN DOCUMENTARY *We Are Driven* Japanese management techniques at an American motor plant in Smyrna, Tennessee

12.25 Night Thoughts followed by Closedown

## S4C

1.15 Lakeland Rock. 2.00 Gardeners' Calendar. 2.30 Sunday Opera: *La Forza Del Destino*. 5.30 The Business Programme. 6.15 Heritage: Civilization and the Jews. 7.15 An Canker Seth. 7.25 Newyddion. 7.30 Hufen A Moch Bach. 8.00 Pwy Sy'n Perthyn? 8.30 Er Gwaetha'r Gelyn. 9.15 Byd Cerdd. 10.10 Winston Churchill — The Wilderness Years. 11.10 The Late Clive James. 11.55 Seven Days. 12.25 Their Lordships' House. 12.50 Close.

## RADIO

1 News on the half hour until 11.30a.m., then 2.30p.m., 3.30, 5.00, 7.30, 9.30, and 12 mid-night.

6.00 Graham Bannerman. 8.00 Peter Powell. 10.00 Simon Bates. 12.30 Jimmy Saville's 'Old Record' Club. 2.30 Adrian Juste. 4.00 The Other Side of the Facts. 5.00 Top 40 (S). 7.00 Anne Nightingale (S). 9.00 Robbie Vincent (S). 11.00-12.00 The Ranking Miss P (S).

VHF: 2.00 Benny Green. 3.00 Alan Dell. 4.00 Vernon and Maryetta Midgley. 4.30 Sing Something Simple.

3 6.55 Weather. 7.00 News. 7.05 Amadeus Quartet (S) Schubert's String Quintet (D956). 8.00 Bach Cantatas 1724 (S) No.20. 8.30 French Music for Wind Instruments (S) Tafel, Debussy. 9.00 News. 9.05 Your Concert Choice (S) Brahms, Chopin arr Liszt, Vivaldi. 10.30 Music Weekly (S). 11.15 St Louis Symphony Orchestra (S) Schubert, Berlioz Symphonie Fantastique. 12.20 Words. 12.25 Christian Blackshaw (S) Piano recital: Haydn, Ravel, Liszt. 1.20 Music from Venice (S) G. Gabrieli, Monteverdi, Girolamo Frescobaldi, Pietro Lippi, Luca Marenzio, Sigismondo d'India. 2.40 Bach (S) organ music. 3.15 Gabrieli String Quartet (S) Chamber music: Beethoven, Michael Blake Watkins (4.10-4.15 Interval) Britten, Elgar. 5.05 Russian Church Music (S) Balakirev, Arensky, Tchaikovsky, Kalinnikov, Grechaninov. 5.30 New Premises. 6.15 BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra (S) Martin Dalby, Thomas Wilson (6.45-6.50 Interval) Lyell Cresswell, Peter Maxwell Davies. 7.45 Autumn (S). 8.15 Die Gezeichneten (S) Opera by Franz Schreker. 11.00 Kalichstein-Laredo-Robinson Trio (S) Martinu, Dvorak. 11.57-12.00 News. VHF: 6.35-6.55 Open University.

Has Broken. 6.55 Weather; Travel. 7.00 News. 7.10 Sunday Papers. 7.15 Apna Hi Ghar Samajhiye. 7.45 Bells. 7.50 Turning Over New Leaves. 7.55 Weather; Travel. 8.00 News. 8.10 Sunday Papers. 8.15 Sunday. 8.50 Appeal. 8.55 Weather; Travel. 9.00 News. 9.10 Sunday Papers. 9.15 Letter from America. 9.30 Morning Service. 10.15 The Archers. 11.15 The Great and Good Mr Handel (S). 12.00 Home-ing In (S). 12.30 The Food Programme. 12.55 Weather. 1.00 The World This Weekend; News. 1.55 Shipping Forecast. 2.00 News; Gardeners' Question Time. 2.30 The Afternoon Play (S) *Last Friday in Jerusalem*. 3.45 Archive Auction. 4.00 News; The First Cudat. 4.30 Talk of the Town, Talk of the Country. 5.00 News; Travel. 5.05 Tommy. 5.50 Shipping Forecast. 5.55 Weather. 6.00 News. 6.15 Feedback. 6.30 Bookshelf. 7.00 Travel; XPD (S). 7.30 The Thatcher Phenomenon. 8.15 Incredible Flautists. 8.30 A Word in Edgeways (S). 9.00 News; Daughters and Sons (S). 10.00 News. 10.15 Trams and Tramcar Enthusiasts (S). 11.00 How Blessed (S). 11.15 Inside Parliament. 12.00-12.15 News; Weather. 12.33 Shipping Forecast.

VHF: 5.55-6.00 Weather; Travel. 6.45-7.45 Open University. 1.55-2.00 Programme News. 4.00-6.00 Study On 4.

## ROUND THE REGIONS

## TYNE TEES

6.55 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 Morning Glory. 9.30 Link. 10.00 Morning Worship. 11.00 Working for a Better Life. 11.25 Lookaround. 11.30 Captain Scarlet and the Mysterons. 12.00 Weekend World. 1.00 Farming Outlook. 1.30 The Smurfs. 2.00 A Full Life. 2.30 Nobody Said It Was Easy. 3.30 Athletics. 4.20 Pretenders. 5.00 Jane Cowan the Cellist Sums Up. 5.30 Magnum. 6.30 News. 6.40 Appeal. 6.45 Highway. 7.15 Winner Takes All. 7.45 Murder She Wrote. 8.45 News. 9.00 Connie. 10.00 Mog. 10.30 The South Bank Show. 11.30 Epilogue; Closedown.

## CENTRAL

6.55 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 The Wonderful Stories of Professor Kitzel. 9.30 Working for a Better Life. 10.00 Morning Worship. 11.00 Link. 11.30 Gardening Time. 12.00 Weekend World. 1.00 Captain Scarlet. 1.30 The Adventurer. 2.00 A Full Life. 2.30 Nobody Said It Was Easy. 3.30 Athletics. 4.30 Pretenders. 5.00 Now You See It. 5.30 Return of the Saint. 6.30 News. 6.40 Appeal. 6.45 Highway. 7.15 Winner Takes All. 7.45 Murder She Wrote. 8.45 News. 9.00 Connie. 10.00 Mog. 10.30 The South Bank Show. 11.30 The Streets of San Francisco. 12.30 Closedown.

## YORKSHIRE

6.55 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 Regional Weather; followed by Link. 10.00 Morning Worship. 11.00 Working for a Better Life. 11.30 Farming Diary; Farming Weather. 12.00 Weekend World. 1.00 The Champions. 2.00 A Full Life. 2.30 Nobody Said It Was Easy. 3.30 Athletics. 4.30 Pretenders. 5.00 The Zodiac Game. 5.30 Chips. 6.30 News. 6.40 Appeal. 6.45 Highway. 7.15 Winner Takes All. 7.45 Murder She Wrote. 8.45 News. 9.00 Connie. 10.00 Mog. 10.30 The South Bank Show. 11.30 Short Story Theatre. 12.00 Five Minutes. 12.05 Closedown.

er; followed by Link. 10.00 Morning Worship. 11.00 Working for a Better Life. 11.30 Farming Diary; Farming Weather. 12.00 Weekend World. 1.00 The Champions. 2.00 A Full Life. 2.30 Nobody Said It Was Easy. 3.30 Athletics. 4.30 Pretenders. 5.00 The Zodiac Game. 5.30 Chips. 6.30 News. 6.40 Appeal. 6.45 Highway. 7.15 Winner Takes All. 7.45 Murder She Wrote. 8.45 News. 9.00 Connie. 10.00 Mog. 10.30 The South Bank Show. 11.30 Short Story Theatre. 12.00 Five Minutes. 12.05 Closedown.

## TSW

6.55 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 Link; South West Link. 10.00 Morning Worship. 11.00 Working for a Better Life. 11.25 Look and See. 11.30 The South West Week. 12.00 Weekend World. 1.00 Gardens for All. 1.30 Farming News. 2.00 A Full Life. 2.30 Nobody Said It Was Easy. 3.30 Athletics. 4.30 Pretenders. 5.00 Now You See It. 5.30 The Fall Guy. 6.30 News; Weather. 6.40 Appeal. 6.45 Highway. 7.15 Winner Takes All. 7.45 Murder She Wrote. 8.45 News; Weather. 9.00 Connie. 10.00 Mog. 10.30 The South Bank Show. 11.30 The South West Week. 12.00 Postscript; South West Weather; Shipping Forecast; Closedown.

## TVS

6.55 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 Action Line. 9.35 Fangface. 10.00 Morning Worship. 11.00 Link. 11.30 Working for a Better Life. 12.00 Weekend World. 1.00 Agenda. 1.30 Enterprise South. 2.00 A Full Life. 2.30 Bomber. 3.30 Athletics. 4.30 Pretenders. 5.00 Now You See It. 5.30 Nobody Said it

Was Easy. 6.25 TVS News. 6.30 News. 6.40 Appeal. 6.45 Highway. 7.15 Winner Takes All. 7.45 Murder She Wrote. 8.45 News. 9.00 Connie. 10.00 Mog. 10.30 The South Bank Show. 11.30 Mysteries of Edgar Wallace. 12.30 Company; Closedown.

## HTV

6.55 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 Vaclav Vaca: Fantastic Visions. 10.00 Morning Worship. 11.00 Link. 11.30 Working for a Better Life. 12.00 Weekend World. 1.00 The Adventurer. 1.30 Farming Wales; Weather for Farmers. 2.00 A Full Life. 2.30 Nobody Said It Was Easy. 3.30 Athletics. 4.30 Pretenders. 5.00 Definition. 5.30 Falcon Crest. 6.30 News; HTV News. 6.40 Appeal. 6.45 Highway. 7.15 Winner Takes All. 7.45 Murder She Wrote. 8.45 News. 9.00 Connie. 10.00 Mog. 10.30 The South Bank Show. 11.30 Looks Familiar. 12.15 HTV Weather; Closedown.

## ANGLIA

6.55 Good Morning Britain. 9.30 Survival. 10.00 Morning Worship. 11.00 Link. 11.30 Working for a Better Life. 12.00 Weekend World. 1.00 Mr Smith. 1.25 Weather Trends. 1.30 Farming Diary. 2.00 A Full Life. 2.30 Nobody Said It Was Easy. 3.30 Athletics. 4.30 Pretenders. 5.00 Now You See It. 5.30 Bygones. 6.00 Happy Days. 6.30 News; Weather. 6.40 Appeal. 6.45 Highway. 7.15 Winner Takes All. 7.45 Murder She Wrote. 8.45 News; Weather. 9.00 Connie. 10.00 Mog. 10.30 The South Bank Show. 11.30 Scarecrow and Mrs King. 12.30 Epilogue; Closedown



# Winning Post

## THE OAKS ITV 3.00 - EPSOM

(3-Y-O fillies) — 1m 4f — 12 runners — £111,744 to winner

|    |      |         |                                                                  |                    |                |
|----|------|---------|------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|----------------|
| 2  | (4)  | 11-231  | BELLA COLORA                                                     | M Stoute 90        | W R Swinburn   |
|    |      |         | (Black, white spots on body, white cap)                          |                    |                |
| 3  | (5)  | 2104    | CALORGE (FR)                                                     | P Kelleway 90      | W Carson       |
|    |      |         | (Black, magenta quartered cap)                                   |                    |                |
| 4  | (8)  | 1-3     | DANCE MACHINE                                                    | J Dunlop 90        | L Piggott      |
|    |      |         | (Brown and green stripes, brown sleeves and cap)                 |                    |                |
| 5  | (1)  | 1-21    | DOMINO'S NURSE                                                   | M Kauntze (IRE) 90 | C Asmussen     |
|    |      |         | (Navy blue, red and light blue hoop and armlets, white cap)      |                    |                |
| 6  | (12) | 1-22    | DUBIAN                                                           | A Stewart 90       | Pat Eddery     |
|    |      |         | (Royal blue, red epaulets, striped cap)                          |                    |                |
| 9  | (3)  | 30-41   | KILINISKI (D)                                                    | J Dunlop 90        | B Rouse        |
|    |      |         | (Maroon, white sleeves and star on cap)                          |                    |                |
| 10 | (11) | 13-0    | MORNING DEVOTION (USA) (BF)                                      | M Stoute 90        | T Ives         |
|    |      |         | (Emerald green, royal blue sleeves, white cap green spots)       |                    |                |
| 12 | (9)  | 111-11  | OH SO SHARP                                                      | H Cecil 90         | S Cauthen      |
|    |      |         | (Maroon, white sleeves and star on cap)                          |                    |                |
| 13 | (2)  | 3-22    | PERFECT MATCH (FR) (BF)                                          | B Hills 90         | Y Saint Martin |
|    |      |         | (Light blue, blue and mauve halved sleeves)                      |                    |                |
| 14 | (10) | 0-21    | PETRADIA                                                         | C Brittain 90      | P Robinson     |
|    |      |         | (Royal blue, white hoop on body, striped cap)                    |                    |                |
| 15 | (7)  | 03-01   | ROMANTIC FEELING (D)                                             | B Hills 90         | R Street       |
|    |      |         | (Yellow and blue diamonds, yellow sleeves and cap, blue diamond) |                    |                |
| 17 | (6)  | 21-1010 | TRIPTYCH (USA) (BF)                                              | D O'Brien (IRE) 90 | C Roche        |
|    |      |         | (Light blue, blue and mauve halved sleeves)                      |                    |                |

1984: Circus Plume 90 L Piggott 4-1 J Dunlop 15 ran

PROBABLE SP: Evens Oh So Sharp, 7-2 Dubian, 8-1 Dance Machine, 11-2 Bella Colora and Kiliniski, 12-1 Triptych, 16-1 Morning Devotion, 33-1 others.

# Stay with Dubian for Oaks success

DUBIAN (3.00) can give Alec Stewart his first English classic by outstaying hot favourite Oh So Sharp in The Oaks at EPSOM today.

Stewart landed his biggest success so far with another filly, Opale, in last year's Irish St Leger, so has already had a taste of classic-winning.

With Dubian, a daughter of High Line, the Newmarket trainer has an Oaks contender certain to get the trip, and who will appreciate the recent rain.

She has looked an Oaks prospect ever since beating 22 rivals over seven furlongs at Newbury last season and her narrow defeats in top company this term confirm that she has trained on.

It was at this track back in April that Dubian was un-

lucky to be beaten a head by Stella Grande after encountering traffic problems during the race and finishing very fast.

Then it was up to York for the 'Musiodora', in which Fatah Flare, stable companion of Oh So Sharp and an overnight withdrawal from this race, poached a long lead early in the straight and hung on to beat Dubian threequarters of a length.

Staying is obviously going to be her game and if she is to halt Oh So Sharp's unbeaten run today, the pace will have to be a fast one.

There are only 12 runners and if the first couple of furlongs are run at a crawl the field will have played into the Cecil filly's hands.

By sticking with Dubian, you are supporting the theory that this race is usually truly-run, and finds out the chinks in the armour of non-stayers.

Oh So Sharp stuck to her guns to get up in the last stride to short-head Al Bahathri in the 1,000 Guineas, with Bella Colora only a head behind in third.

Bella Colora went on to land the odds in Goodwood's Lupe Stakes over a mile and a quarter. She appeared to be running out of gas at the finish, however, and her breeding suggests she, also, is far from certain to get the trip.

Triptych is difficult to weigh-up, having won a classic (Irish 1,000 Guineas) but failed in two more (English 1,000 Guineas and Irish 2,000 Guineas).

Lester Piggott teamed up with John Dunlop to win last

## SELECTIONS

EPSOM: 1.45 Bridesmaid, 2.15 Pirate Lass, 3.00 Dubian (nap), 3.35 Alexanjo, 4.05 Dr Naem, 4.40 Perreal, 5.10 Portogon

HAYDOCK: 2.00 Choire Mhor, 2.35 Sarab (n.b.), 3.10 Eagling, 3.45 Riverside Writer, 4.15 Take A Card, 4.45 Hi Tech Leader, 5.15 Boldera, 5.45 Sun Street

CATTERICK: 2.15 Roper Row, 2.45 Wappy Springs, 3.25 Meikleour, 3.55 Fouz, 4.25 Mary Maguire, 4.55 Coolaroo

year's race with Circus Plume, and once again the maestro has turned to the Arundel trainer and his Dance Machine.

Dance Machine, who won on her only start as a juvenile at Newmarket, caught the eye with a good third behind Merle and Perfect Match at Newbury last month. That effort should be improved upon, but whether Dance Machine is ready to cope with Dubian and Oh So Sharp must be questioned.

Paul Cole appears to have found the ideal race for the game and consistent Sarab (2.35), who can land the £20,000 added John Of Gaunt Stakes at HAYDOCK.

Last time out, Sarab chased home Prismatic and Teleprompter in the one-mile Lockinge at Newbury, but will be better suited by this extended seven furlongs. He has one or two useful horses to beat, including Doulab and last year's winner Mr Meeka.

## Tote Record

THE Tote had a record betting turnover of £359,399 at Epsom on Derby Day, which was 44 per cent up on last year's figure.

The Tote's win pool on the Derby of £87,493 broke the previous record of £87,337 taken on this year's Cheltenham Gold Cup.

## EPSOM ITV 1.45, 2.15

DRAW: low numbers best up to 1m

### 1.45 AIR HANSON ACORN STAKES £8,000

|   |     |       |                 |               |              |
|---|-----|-------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|
| 1 | (3) | 02112 | BRIDESMAID (D)  | B Hills 811   | B Thomson    |
| 2 | (2) | 2102  | OLE FLO (D)     | K Brassey 811 | T Ives       |
| 3 | (5) | 213   | PALACE VIEW (D) | N Tinker 811  | W R Swinburn |
| 4 | (1) | 28    | CHALFONT MO     | P Kelleway 87 | W Carson     |
| 5 | (4) | 00    | STEPHIL D       | Thom 87       | G Starkey    |

VISOR: 1  
PROBABLE SP: 11-10 Bridesmaid, 3-1 Ole Flo, 9-2 Palace View, 8-1 Chalfont Mo, 16-1 Stephil.

### 2.15 ALLDERS EBBISHAM HANDICAP £10,000

|   |     |         |                            |                 |            |
|---|-----|---------|----------------------------|-----------------|------------|
| 1 | (2) | 440-402 | FARAWAY GREY               | R J Williams 97 | B Thomson  |
| 2 | (4) | 010-011 | ENGLISH SPRING (USA) (C-D) | I Balding 93    | Pat Eddery |
| 3 | (5) | 010-010 | PIRATE LASS (USA)          | C Nelson 813    | S Cauthen  |
| 4 | (3) | 40213-0 | AFRAH (USA)                | C Benstead 88   | B Rouse    |
| 5 | (1) | 14100-0 | PONTEVECCIO DUE            | B Hobbs 80      | W Carson   |

PROBABLE SP: 7-4 English Spring, 5-2 Pirate Lass, 7-2 Faraway Grey, 9-1 Afrah, 12-1 Pontevecchio Due.

### 3.35 HEADLEY MAIDEN AUCTION STAKES £3,000

|    |      |       |                  |                 |              |
|----|------|-------|------------------|-----------------|--------------|
| 2  | (9)  | 320   | ME AND MY SHADOW | D Sasse 97      | D McKay      |
| 3  | (14) |       | RHYMING COCKNEY  | R Hannon 94     | L Jones (7)  |
| 4  | (5)  | 00    | SKYESILK         | R Sheather 94   | G Starkey    |
| 5  | (10) | 4443  | ANGLIAN HOME     | R Stubbs 91     | W R Swinburn |
| 6  | (16) |       | DREAM CHASER     | P Kelleway 91   | S Cauthen    |
| 7  | (12) |       | CHAPMANS GOLD    | K Ivory 89      | G Morgan     |
| 8  | (13) | 00    | PRICK            | W Wightman 89   | W Carson     |
| 9  | (17) |       | RED ZULU         | B Hobbs 89      | G Baxter     |
| 10 | (11) | 3     | SHOTGUN BARNEY   | D Thom 89       | P Robinson   |
| 11 | (18) |       | PINK 'N' PERKY   | R J Williams 88 | T Ives       |
| 12 | (15) | 2     | ALEXANJO         | A Jarvis 86     | Pat Eddery   |
| 13 | (16) |       | ANOTHER GLAMGRAM | M Haynes 86     | B Rouse      |
| 14 | (8)  | 02    | BY CHANCE        | C Wildman 86    | L Piggott    |
| 15 | (11) | 4003  | DAWN MIRAGE      | R Hannon 86     | A McGlone    |
| 16 | (12) | 00030 | MISS VENEZUELA   | C Horgan 86     | A Clark      |
| 17 | (13) | 303   | MUSICAL AID      | G Blum 86       | G Duffield   |
| 18 | (7)  | 4     | PHILOSOPHICAL    | W Musson 86     | P Gunn       |

24 (3) 00 STILLLOU P Mitchell 86..... C Asmussen  
PROBABLE SP: 5-2 Alexanjo, 4-1 Red Zulu, 11-2 By Chance, 7-1 Dream Chaser and Shotgun Barney, 10-1 Me and My Shadow, 12-1 Anglian Home, 16-1 others.

### 4.05 ASHTEAD CLAIMING STAKES £3,000

|    |      |         |                    |                 |                |
|----|------|---------|--------------------|-----------------|----------------|
| 1  | (12) | 1-002   | DR NAEEM           | P Cole 812      | W Carson       |
| 2  | (11) | 4000-00 | OXHEY BAY          | F Durr 812      | G Starkey      |
| 3  | (5)  | 32330-0 | JEWEL IN THE CROWN | R J Williams 89 | M Kettle       |
| 4  | (7)  | 30-0030 | APRIL FOOL         | M Usher 87      | L Piggott      |
| 5  | (3)  | 02310-0 | ARMORAD            | R Houghton 87   | S Cauthen      |
| 6  | (9)  | 00-     | WELSH BEACON       | G Lewis 87      | P Waldron      |
| 7  | (10) | 004440- | KAVAKA             | R Hannon 84     | Pat Eddery     |
| 8  | (11) | 03-0004 | RAIN IN VENICE     | R J Williams 84 | T Ives         |
| 9  | (12) | 0       | JAMES DE COOMBE    | G Lewis 83      | G Sexton       |
| 10 | (5)  | 10-     | BRAVE LOUISE       | P Haslam 81     | G Duffield     |
| 11 | (10) | 40040-  | CORKSAPOPPIN       | A Moore 711     | A Clark        |
| 12 | (4)  | 0       | GOLDEN SALVO       | D O'Donnell 710 | T Williams (3) |

BLINKERS: 6  
PROBABLE SP: 9-4 Dr Naem, 3-1 Rain In Venice, 9-2 Armorad, 13-2 Jewel In The Crown, 8-1 Brave Louise, 12-1 Kavaka, 14-1 others.

### 4.40 BUNBURY HANDICAP £8,000

|   |      |         |                 |              |                |
|---|------|---------|-----------------|--------------|----------------|
| 3 | (4)  | 12-3000 | DURHAM PLACE    | K Brassey 97 | T Ives         |
| 4 | (1)  | 2-01    | PERREAL (D)     | H Cecil 93   | S Cauthen      |
| 5 | (3)  | 4-00032 | ALBANY LAD (BF) | R Hannon 811 | Pat Eddery     |
| 6 | (12) | 0021-00 | PERION          | G Lewis 711  | T Williams (3) |

PROBABLE SP: 11-8 Perreal, 5-2 Durham Place, 4-1 Albany Lad, 6-1 Perion.

### 5.10 ABBOTS HILL HANDICAP £5,000

|   |      |         |                       |                 |               |
|---|------|---------|-----------------------|-----------------|---------------|
| 1 | (7)  | 000-010 | PORTOGON              | M Usher 7912    | D McKay       |
| 2 | (8)  | 0030-00 | HIT THE HEIGHTS (C-D) | J Holt 496      | W Osborne (7) |
| 3 | (3)  | 33100-0 | LONGCROSS             | N Henderson 494 | W R Swinburn  |
| 4 | (5)  | 2343-00 | NAZEER                | A Stewart 491   | Pat Eddery    |
| 5 | (6)  | 00-0000 | VICEROY LAD (C-D)     | R Hannon 490    | L Piggott     |
| 6 | (9)  | 2200-00 | GREED                 | D Morley 4810   | S Cauthen     |
| 7 | (10) | 21-1004 | HIGH PITCHED          | M Haynes 686    | C Rutter (5)  |
| 8 | (14) | 302040- | STYLISH MOVER (C-D)   | B Stevens 677   |               |

BLINKERS: 3, 6  
PROBABLE SP: 11-4 Viceroy Lad, 7-2 Portogon, 5-1 Longcross, 13-2 High Pitched and Nazeer, 8-1 Greed, 12-1 others.

## HAYDOCK BBC1 2.00, 2.35, 3.10, 3.45

DRAW: Low numbers best from 6f to 1m

### 2.00 BASS LIGHT MAIDEN FILLIES STAKES £1,500

|    |      |     |                         |                   |                 |
|----|------|-----|-------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| 3  | (4)  |     | BLUE STEEL              | R Simpson 811     | J Reid          |
| 4  | (16) |     | CHOIRE MHOR             | H Cecil 811       | Paul Eddery     |
| 5  | (17) |     | CITY LINK COURIER       | G Balding 811     | J Williams      |
| 6  | (11) | 0   | CURIGA                  | P Walwyn 811      | J Mercer        |
| 7  | (12) |     | DANCING SARAH           | D H Jones 811     | R Cochrane      |
| 8  | (15) |     | HELSONON                | M Jarvis 811      | B Raymond       |
| 9  | (16) | 44  | HONEY LOCH (BF)         | J Berry 811       | K Darley        |
| 10 | (17) | 0   | HOT MOMMA               | R Boff 811        | N Day           |
| 11 | (18) | 0   | JELLYGOLD               | W O'Gorman 811    | M L Thomas      |
| 12 | (20) | 0   | LADY ATTIVA             | P Rohan 811       | C Dwyer         |
| 13 | (21) | 4   | LADY BRIT               | E Weymes 811      | E Guest (5)     |
| 14 | (24) | 0   | MAFIOSA                 | D Arbuthnot 811   | P Cook          |
| 15 | (26) | 332 | PACKAGE PERFECTION (BF) | T Fairhurst 811   | D Nicholls      |
| 16 | (27) | 10  | PLEDLES                 | S Norton 811      | J Lowe          |
| 17 | (28) |     | QUEEN OF SWORDS         | R Hollinshead 811 | W Ryan          |
| 18 | (29) | 1   | QURRAT AL AIN           | M H Easterby 811  | M Birch         |
| 19 | (31) | 0   | SLEEPLINE DUCHESS       | K Brassey 811     | S Whitworth (3) |
| 20 | (33) | 5   | SUNLEY MAGIC            | F Durr 811        | M Hills         |
| 21 | (34) | 03  | TRICKY                  | P Rohan 811       | E Hide          |
| 22 | (35) | 6   | VAIGLY GLORIOUS         | R Houghton 811    | R Fox           |

PROBABLE SP: 11-4 Choire Mhor, 7-2 Curiga, 9-2 Helsonon, 6-1 Hot Momma, 8-1 Package Perfection, 10-1 Pledles, 12-1 Tricky and Honey Loch, 20-1 others.

### 2.35 JOHN OF GAUNT STAKES £20,000

|   |     |          |                      |                   |             |
|---|-----|----------|----------------------|-------------------|-------------|
| 2 | (6) | 40/011-0 | INDIAN RAJAN         | K Brassey 594     | S Whitworth |
| 3 | (1) | 02-0032  | MR MEKEA (USA) (C-D) | S Norton 494      | J Lowe      |
| 4 | (7) | 12220-1  | NEEYEF               | P Walwyn 494      | J Mercer    |
| 5 | (4) | 3114-33  | SARAB (C) (BF)       | P Cole 494        | T Quinn     |
| 6 | (5) | 1/1034-0 | MAHOGANY             | C Nelson 491      | J Reid      |
| 7 | (3) | 0044-00  | MYSTERY SHIP         | M Usher 4812      | Paul Eddery |
| 8 | (2) | 1221-12  | DOULAB (USA)         | Thomson Jones 389 | A Murray    |
| 9 | (8) | 011      | SAN MERCURIALE (USA) | I Balding 380     | Paul Eddery |

BLINKERS: 6  
PROBABLE SP: 9-4 Sarab, 11-4 Doulab, 9-2 Neeeyef, 6-1 San Mercuriale, 8-1 Mr Meeka, 12-1 Mahogany, 16-1 others.

### 3.10 STONES BEST BITTER H'CAP £12,000

|   |     |         |                     |                |                  |
|---|-----|---------|---------------------|----------------|------------------|
| 2 | (7) | 320-010 | CHANCE IN A MILLION | Denys Smith 97 | D Leadbitter (5) |
| 3 | (3) | 00-2030 | DOWNING STREET      | C Brittain 95  | B Raymond        |
| 4 | (1) | 3-2321  | EAGLING             | H Cecil 93     | Paul Eddery      |

|    |      |         |                       |                   |             |
|----|------|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|-------------|
| 5  | (5)  | 00-01   | IMMORTAL DANCER (USA) | M Stoute 812      | A Kimberley |
| 6  | (7)  | 04004-0 | GWIFFINA              | Mrs C Reavey 811  | N Day       |
| 7  | (8)  | 40-341  | AL-WALLED             | Thomson Jones 89  | A Murray    |
| 8  | (9)  | 201-031 | SENIOR RAMOS (USA)    | S Norton 89       | J Lowe      |
| 9  | (10) | 00-302  | COMMANDER ROBERT      | G Wragg 85        | R Fox       |
| 10 | (11) | 404010  | NO LIMIT (FR)         | R Hollinshead 711 | W RyanOL    |

BLINKERS: 3  
PROBABLE SP: 3-1 Eagling, 7-2 Senior Ramos, 5-1 Immortal Dancer, 6-1 Al Walled, 7-1 Chance In A Million, 8-1 Commander Robert, 12-1 Downing Street, 16-1 others.

### 3.45 SINGAPORE AIRLINES 'NON-STOP' H'CAP £5,000

|   |      |         |                     |                  |                 |
|---|------|---------|---------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 1 | (1)  | 043-331 | FAIRWAYS GIRL (D)   | M W Easterby 97  | M Birch         |
| 2 | (6)  | 030-000 | HOPEFUL HEIGHTS (C) | T Fairhurst 93   | D Nicholls      |
| 3 | (4)  | 403-100 | PIANO MAN           | K Brassey 92     | S Whitworth (3) |
| 4 | (5)  | 133-100 | KAKISA (D)          | M Camacho 813    | N Connorton     |
| 5 | (8)  | 0212-04 | ELLE E              | Weymes 89        | E Guest (5)     |
| 6 | (15) | 1-02322 | ROSIE DICKENS (C)   | R Hollinshead 81 | W Ryan          |
| 7 | (16) | 241040  | PHILIP              | N Tinker 80      | L Charnock      |
| 8 | (17) | 40-4004 | EDWIN'S PRINCESS    | K Ivory 78       | R Fox           |
| 9 | (18) | 2000-02 | RIVERSIDE WRITER    | N Vigors 77      | S Dawson (3)    |

BLINKERS: 16, 17  
PROBABLE SP: 5-2 Fairways Girl, 3-1 Ellei, 4-1 Riverside Writer, 6-1 Rosie Dickens, 8-1 Kakisa, 10-1 Piano Man, 16-1 others.

### 4.15 RIBBLE SELLING STAKES DIV I £1,500

|    |      |          |                         |                    |                 |
|----|------|----------|-------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| 1  | (2)  | 30400-0  | BELLE VUE               | R Hollinshead 1294 | M Botterill (7) |
| 2  | (11) | 23600-0  | HERE I AM               | J Etherington 494  | M Wood          |
| 3  | (5)  | 020010-  | JUMP JAR (C)            | D Chapman 694      | D Nicholls      |
| 4  | (10) | 000004-  | MOLON LAVE              | O O'Neill 894      | R Fox           |
| 5  | (16) | 221002   | MR MUSIC MAN (C-D) (BF) | Mrs C Reavey 1194  | J Reid          |
| 6  | (12) | 221002   | MURILLO                 | F Carr 994         | J Carr (7)      |
| 7  | (15) | 000401-  | TAKE A CARD             | Mrs J Ramsden 694  | E Guest (5)     |
| 8  | (9)  | 300/00-0 | YOUR CHOICE             | W Haigh 494        |                 |
| 9  | (23) | 00-      | CAMDORÉ BOY             | J Bradley 590      | N Day           |
| 10 | (25) | 000-0    | GALLOIS BOSQUET         | C Booth 490        | M Hills         |
| 11 | (26) | 15       | MALHAM COVE             | A Watson 590       | S Horsfall (5)  |
| 12 | (30) | 00-2400  | QUIET COUNTRY           | P Makin 490        | B Raymond       |
| 13 | (36) | 000-0    | TOSCANA                 | D Marks 4811       | M L Thomas      |
| 14 | (41) | 0310-0   | NEW CENTRAL             | M Blanshard 381    | R Cochrane      |
| 15 | (50) | 4-30     | DONA PERFECTA           | K Brassey 3711     | S Whitworth (3) |
| 16 | (53) | 1-000    | PINWIDIE                | P Rohan 3711       | L Charnock      |

BLINKERS: 12, 30  
PROBABLE SP: 3-1 Mr Music Man, 5-1 Dona Perfecta, 6-1 New Central and Murillo, 14-1 Molon Lave, 16-1 others.

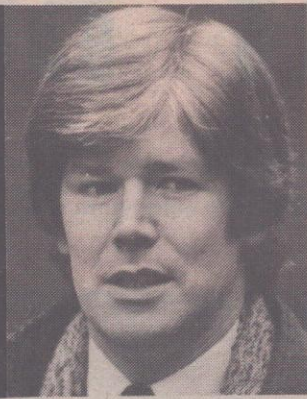
### 4.45 PARK HALL APPRENTICE H'CAP £2,000

|    |      |         |                     |                  |                 |
|----|------|---------|---------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 1  | (10) | 21-2030 | HI-HUNLEY (D)       | C Booth 97       | S Hodgson (7)   |
| 6  | (9)  | 2213-00 | HALCYON COVE (D)    | A Bailey 92      | E Guest         |
| 7  | (5)  | 10-2000 | TAJ SINGH (D)       | M Blanshard 91   | N Adams (3)     |
| 8  | (2)  | 10-0000 | PAPPLEWEED LADY (D) | J Berry 91       | S Horsfall (3)  |
| 10 | (8)  | 03-0000 | BAY BAZAAR (D)      | M W Easterby 91  | A Shoults (3)   |
| 11 | (5)  | 000-1   | HI-TECH LEADER (D)  | J Etherington 90 | M Hindley       |
| 13 | (4)  | 0-004P0 | PRINCE RACINE (D)   | D H Jones 813    | D Williams (7)  |
| 15 | (11) | 000-00  | BOARDING HOUSE      | K Stone 810      | G Brown (3)     |
| 16 | (7)  | 0-32000 | STEVEJAN (D)        | B Morgan 810     | R Adams (7)     |
| 17 | (1)  | 20021-0 | SALLY O'BRIEN       | P Makin 810      | R Lappin (7)    |
| 20 | (6)  | 00-0000 | KATHSTAR            | R Hollinshead 81 | A Whitehall (7) |



## Sports Line

Matthew Nugent previews the Women's Final at the French Open in Paris



# WORLD'S TOPS IN GRAND SLAM

PARIS — WHILE everyone here has been debating if it's moral that youngsters of 14 and 15 should turn pro, two of tennis's elders have reached the women's singles final here again.

Martina Navratilova, aged 28, and Chris Evert-Lloyd, 30, constant adversaries over the past decade, meet in yet another decider, their 10th in a Grand Slam competition.

'I've played Martina so many times I've actually lost count,' Evert-Lloyd said Thursday before being reminded that they had actually met on 64 occasions.

Without being too unkind to Evert-Lloyd, maybe she just wants to forget their record on head-to-heads, particularly over the past three years.

The world's top two women have met 19 times since 1982, Navratilova has won 17 of those

matches — and lifted five Grand Slam titles to her opponent's solitary victory in the Australian Open.

'It's never easy playing Martina, she's such a great player and so strong out there on court. But I live in hope that I can still pull something extra out of the bag and beat her,' added Evert-Lloyd on Thursday.

Evert-Lloyd, five times champion here, has shown signs in recent months, and particularly over the past fortnight at the Stade Roland Garros, of small but expensive mistakes creeping into her game.

'You can almost tell now when Chris is going to double-fault,' said her fellow-American Lisa Bonder after being ousted by Evert-Lloyd in the second round.

'Her game is not as foolproof as before. I don't think it will be too long now before some of the other players are beating her in the semis and the round of eight,' added Bonder.

Navratilova, however, still remains almost unbeatable. There have, after all, been just three defeats in close to three years.

This afternoon there is no reason to believe that she won't duplicate last year's final score when she defeated Evert-Lloyd in straight sets, 6-3, 6-1.

Her only chance might possibly come if Navratilova plays as poorly as she did in Thursday's semi-final against the West German, Claudia Kohde.

Admittedly Kohde raised her game some-

what, but a player of Evert-Lloyd's calibre would have grasped the opportunity to meet Navratilova on an off-day.

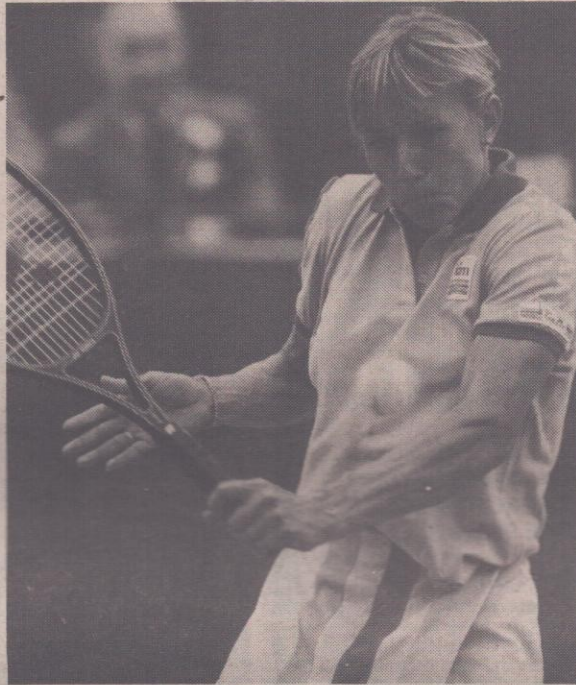
But such fleeting moments pass without too many people knowing that Navratilova is playing below par. On Thursday she was 'glad to get this one out of the way' (referring to her match with Kohde).

Now it is very unlikely she will play as badly again.

What has been most surprising about Navratilova here in Paris has been her almost serene and placid attitude towards her competitors and the press.

On the court she is still a terror to all her foes, but off it she has been friendly to the extreme.

Even attempts by one of Fleet Street's rags to upset her have failed miserably. Navratilova is taking everything in her stride these days — and this afternoon's final definitely falls into that category.



MARTINA NAVRATILOVA... favourite to beat her old adversary in the French Open women's tennis final at Stade Roland Garros today

## England get their breath back

ENGLAND hope to learn from their exhaustion after the 2-1 defeat by Italy when they play Mexico tomorrow in the second game of their three-match tour.

Manager Bobby Robson said England's driving style of play will have to be adapted to the thin air of Mexico if they are not to end the Mexico match as tired as they were after their match against the World Cup holders.

'We must conserve our energy more and play in short bursts,' he said.

'Eight days wasn't really enough to acclimatise before the Italian game but at least we will have had three days more at this altitude when we meet Mexico.'

Like his Italian counterpart Enzo Bearzot, Robson believes the Mexicans at home are going to be a difficult team to beat.

The hosts of the 1986 World Cup have not had as much recent international experience as England.

But under their Yugoslav manager Bora Milutinovic, the Mexicans have steadily improved over the past two years

## PATHS TO THE FINAL:

**MARTINA NAVRATILOVA:** 1st Rd, def Pam Teeguarden (US) 6-1, 6-0; 2nd Rd, def Virginia Wade (GB) 6-3, 6-0; 3rd Rd, def Catherine Tanvier (Fra) 6-0, 6-0; 4th Rd, def Rafaela Reggi (Ita) 6-4, 6-1; Semi-final, def Claudia Kohde (W. Ger) 6-4, 6-4.

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**CHRIS EVERT-LLOYD:** 1st Rd, def Jennifer Thompson (Aus) 6-2, 6-1; 2nd Rd, def Lisa Bonder (US) 7-6, 6-3; 3rd Rd Angeliki Kanellopoulou (Gre) 6-3, 7-5; 4th Rd, def Steffi Graf (W. Ger) 6-2, 6-3; Semi-finals, def Gabriela Sabatini (Arg) 6-4, 6-1.

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BETWEEN THEM, Navratilova and Evert-

Lloyd have won a total of 27 Grand Slam tournaments. Lloyd is third on the all-time list with 16 titles — 6 US Opens, 5 French Opens, 3 Wimbledon, 2 Australian Opens. Navratilova's record runs 5 Wimbledon, 2 French Opens, 2 US Opens and 2 Australian Opens.

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**EVERT-LLOYD** still has the longest streak on clay, a 125-match win record set from 1973 to 1979.

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**ANOTHER** Navratilova record unlikely to be broken for some time is the one for earning the most prize money in a year, \$2,173,556 earned in 1984.

## CATTERICK

DRAW: low numbers best up to 7f

### 2.15 GAINFORD MAIDEN STAKES £1,200 (2-Y-O c&g) 5f (5 runners)

|       |                   |                 |               |
|-------|-------------------|-----------------|---------------|
| 1 (5) | CHARLIE RAGS      | C Spares 90     | J H Brown (5) |
| 3 (3) | CO'BILL'S EXPRESS | J Parkes 90     | S Webster     |
| 5 (2) | KING'S REEF       | W Wharton 90    | S Perks       |
| 6 (1) | NOT A PROBLEM     | Denys Smith 90  | M Fry         |
| 7 (4) | ROPER ROW         | M H Easterby 90 | K Hodgson     |

PROBABLE SP: 6-4 Not A Problem, 2-1 Roper Row, 11-4 King's Reef, 10-1 Charlie Rags, 12-1 Co'bill's Express.

### 2.45 ALDBROUGH SELLING STAKES £1,000 (3-Y-O) 7f (16 runners)

|         |         |                     |                |                 |
|---------|---------|---------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| 1 (9)   | 040-102 | BUCKS BOLT          | J Berry 90     | J Carroll (7)   |
| 3 (7)   | 000-000 | EMPIRE SANDS        | B Wilkinson 90 | S Keightley     |
| 4 (5)   | 00-     | HOT MARCH           | C Spares 90    | N Carson        |
| 6 (10)  | 0000-00 | LORD SINCLAIR (BF)  | M Lambert 90   | S Perks         |
| 7 (12)  | 00-0000 | MALOWSKI            | M Brittain 90  | A Bacon (7)     |
| 8 (11)  | 010000- | PATCHBURG           | W Haigh 90     | S Morris        |
| 9 (15)  | 000-000 | STAR'S DELIGHT      | F Carr 90      | S Murray        |
| 10 (6)  | 200-002 | WAPPY SPRINGS (USA) | S Norton 90    | J Callaghan (7) |
| 11 (14) | 0000-00 | DADEKA DAWES        | G Moore 811    | M Fry           |
| 12 (4)  | 00-     | DANCING HABIT       | R Francis 811  | A Bond          |
| 13 (13) | 00      | EASY GAL            | H Jones 811    | S Webster       |
| 16 (2)  | 00-     | MORLEY              | T Barron 811   | K Hodgson       |
| 17 (8)  | 4400-00 | NADRON              | M Camacho 811  | R Guest         |
| 19 (1)  | 00-0044 | SOUND WORK          | W Bentley 811  | R Lines (3)     |
| 20 (3)  | 0-02014 | VICTORIA MISS       | W Wharton 811  | J H Brown (5)   |
| 21 (16) | 00-004  | VINTAGE LADY        | R Whitaker 811 |                 |

BLINKERS: 3, 4, 6, 7, 17  
PROBABLE SP: 7-2 Nadron, 4-1 Victoria Miss, 5-1 Sound Work, 6-1 Wappy Springs, 7-1 Bucks Bolt, 8-1 Vintage Lady, 10-1 Lady Sinclair, 14-1 Morley, 16-1 others.

### 3.25 MIDDLEBROOK MUSHROOMS HANDICAP £3,000 1m 7f (9 runners)

|        |         |                    |                  |               |
|--------|---------|--------------------|------------------|---------------|
| 3 (5)  | 30203-0 | RUSHMOOR           | R Peacock 799    | R Guest       |
| 6 (8)  | 02300-0 | NEWMARKET SAUSAGE  | G Moore 493      | S Keightley   |
| 8 (1)  | 2311-43 | MEIKLEOUR (C-D)    | J FitzGerald 691 | S Perks       |
| 9 (4)  | 033203  | RED DUSTER (C-D)   | T Fairhurst 589  | S Webster     |
| 12 (7) | 3000-00 | WRITE THE MUSIC    | R Whitaker 486   | J H Brown (5) |
| 13 (6) | 34-0000 | STRATHCONON (C/BF) | Miss S Hall 486  | K Hodgson     |
| 17 (9) | 3100-03 | CAPTAIN TWINKLE    | J Toller 583     | R Lines (3)   |
| 20 (2) | 00-3003 | MOUNT RULE         | D Yeoman 578     |               |

23 (3) 00000/2 TOT Denys Smith 577  
PROBABLE SP: 9-4 Meikleour, 7-2 Red Duster, 9-2 Rushmoor, 6-1 Tot, 7-1 Captain Twinkle, 8-1 Strathconon, 10-1 Mount Rule.

### 3.55 HORNBY STAKES £1,500 (2-Y-O) 6f (5 runners)

|        |      |                  |                  |              |
|--------|------|------------------|------------------|--------------|
| 1 (1)  | 121  | FOUZ (D)         | P Cole 97        | M Lynch (7)  |
| 4 (2)  | 02   | BILLS AHEAD      | T Fairhurst 811  | C Coates (5) |
| 7 (4)  | 0    | HELEN'S PLEASURE | Mrs C Reavey 811 | A Bond       |
| 9 (5)  | 1321 | BYRNES GIRL      | J Berry 88       | S Morris     |
| 10 (3) | 00   | DUBLINAIRE       | J Rowlands 88    | M Beecroft   |

PROBABLE SP: 2-1 on Fouz, 9-2 Bills Ahead, 5-1 Byrnes Girl, 6-1 Helen's Pleasure, 20-1 Dublinaire.

### 4.25 LESLIE PETCH HANDICAP £2,000 7f (14 runners)

|         |         |                         |                  |               |
|---------|---------|-------------------------|------------------|---------------|
| 2 (6)   | 0000C3  | SPOILT FOR CHOICE (C-D) | D Chapman 797    | A Proud       |
| 4 (2)   | 030-230 | HELLO GYPSY             | C Tinkler 496    | K Hodgson     |
| 5 (8)   | 004-000 | OLD DOMINION (USA)(D)   | W Mackie 893     | S Perks       |
| 6 (3)   | 4000-03 | MARY MAUIRE             | D Chapman 892    | A Bond        |
| 8 (1)   | 304-201 | ARGYLL MAJOR (C-D)      | Denys Smith 3813 | J H Brown (5) |
| 9 (4)   | 0-00040 | PHILSTAR                | W Elsey 4812     | S Webster     |
| 10 (11) | 0-00011 | CB M GIRL (D)           | R Woodhouse 489  | K Darley      |
| 14 (14) | 00000-0 | PRICEOFLOVE             | D Moffatt 583    |               |

## RESULTS

### EPSOM

2.00 (5f): EL ALAMEIN P Waldron (9-2); Snap Decision (6-1); Reef Fire (9-1); Topsoil (7-1); Geraghty Of Course (2-1) fav 4. 7 ran, 3. (G Lewis) T: £10.20; £3.30, £1.70. CSF: £26.35.  
2.35 (1m 2f): GREAT TEY A McGlone (7-1); REEF FIRE (9-1); Topsoil (7-1); Geraghty Of Course (2-1) fav 4. 7 ran, 3. (R Hannon) T: £9.20; £2.60, £3.80. CSF: £35.30.  
3.05 (1m): SCOTTISH REEL W R Swinburn (2-1) fav 1; Cataldi (12-1); Sun Valley (7-2); Kohaylan (20-1) 4. 7 ran, 12. (M Stoute) T: £2.70; £1.60, £4.30. CFS: £21.45.  
3.40 (1m 4f): NESTOR R Fox (25-1); Chamiers (11-2); Sheer Heights (8-1); Russian Noble (9-2) 4. 8 ran, 4. 8. (G Lewis) T: £131.80. NR: Temple Bar.

4.10 (6f): OUR DYNASTY Pat Eddery (6-1); Camps Heath (11-2); Cool Enough (14-1); Ferryman (8-1) 4. 11 ran, 1 1/2. 1. (M Lambert) T: £5.90; £2.40, £1.70, £5.90. CSF: £33.13. NR: Alpine Strings and Throne Of Glory.  
4.40 (1m): PENNIES TO POUNDS P Waldron (7-4); Tiber Creek (6-4) fav 2; Lundylux (9-2); Dolly (14-1) 4. 4 ran, 3. 15. (G Lewis) T: £2.90; £2.00. NR: Kuwaitiah & Little Sloop.

### CATTERICK:

2.15 (5f): AMONGST THE STARS J Lowe (10-1); Oh So Vague (100-30); Tax-Roy (25-1); Orient (7-1) 4. 9 ran, 1. nk. (S Norton) T: £11.30; £1.20, £1.30, £12.30. CSF: £42.45.

15 (15) 021430 MR ROSE (D) L Lightbrown 580  
16 (10) 00/0400 BIONDONI G Calvert 5713  
18 (9) 000- METZKY J Spearing 4712  
19 (13) 000000 VENTURE TO REFORM J Spearing 3711  
20 (7) 4000-00 GREY CHARM M Brittain 477  
21 (12) 03400/0 PRINCESS NAVARRO N Chamberlain 577

BLINKERS: 9

PROBABLE SP: 7-2 C B M Girl, 4-1 Mary Maguire, 11-2 Spoilt For Choice, 6-1 Mr Rose and Argyll Major, 8-1 Hello Gypsy, 10-1 Philstar, 12-1 Priceoflove, 16-1 others.

### 4.55 SWALEDALE MAIDEN FILLIES STAKES £1,200 (3-Y-O) 1m 4f (10 runners)

|         |         |                    |                       |                |
|---------|---------|--------------------|-----------------------|----------------|
| 2 (7)   | 00-     | BARADA (USA)       | M Stoute 811          | K Bradshaw (5) |
| 4 (3)   | 43-43   | CHEVISAUNCE        | P Walwyn 811          | N Howe         |
| 5 (8)   | 0300-0  | COOLAROO (USA)     | E Weymes 811          | K Darley       |
| 6 (9)   | 00      | CRETA              | N Vigors 811          | K Hodgson      |
| 10 (6)  | 000040  | GREY CORAL         | T Fairhurst 811       | S Newton       |
| 12 (1)  | 04-0004 | NORTHERN HOPE (FR) | P Kelleway 811        | S Perks        |
| 13 (10) | 00      | PARAVANE           | Don Enrico Incisa 811 | O Gray         |
| 16 (5)  | 400     | SPEND IT LASS      | S Norton 811          | J Murray (7)   |
| 17 (4)  | 0       | SUNNY NICE (FR)    | L Cumani 811          | R Guest        |
| 18 (2)  | 00-3    | VALADON            | B Hills 811           | E Hide         |

PROBABLE SP: 9-4 Chevsaunce, 4-1 Valadon, 5-1 Sunny Nice and Barada, 7-1 Coolaroo, 9-1 Spend It Lass, 12-1 Creta, 16-1 others.

2.45 (6f): GODS SOLUTION S Webster (6-1); Crowfoot's Couture (12-1); Sing Galvo Sing (7-1); Last Secret (5-2) fav 4. 11 ran, 3. 3/4. (T Barron) T: £5.80; £3, £2.60, £2.10. CSF: £68.22. NR: Captain's Bidd, Lucky Starkist.  
3.15 (1m 5f): WANDERING WALTER R Adams (14-1); Ana Wasslaawi (4-1); Bolin Palace (9-2); Hombre (9-2) 4. 9 ran, 1/2. 3/4. (B C Morgan) T: £12.50; £4.50, £1.70, £2.50. CSF: £64.02.  
3.45 (7f): BOLD WAY (6-1); Glidden (11-8) fav 2; Venetian Sky (11-2); Friendly Bee (50-1) 4. 10 ran, 3. 2 1/2. (W Bentley) T: £9.70; £1.10, £1.70, £1.40. CSF: £15.02. NR: Michele My Belle.  
4.15 (5f): FLOMEGAS DAY P Robinson (5-1); Parade Girl (6-1); First Experience (20-1); Stonedale (7-1) 4. 13 ran.

1 1/2 sh hd. (B McMahon) T: £5.60; £2, £2.10, £4.40. CSF: £34.18.  
4.45 (1m 4f): NO CONTROL R Guest (9-4 on fav); Badalushka (2-1); Kamarock (20-1); Ewar Star (50-1) 4. 4 ran, 1 1/2. 15. (L Cumani) T: £1.20. CSF: £1.66. NR: Tilly Tavi.



## Wilander topples Mac

AMERICA must wait at least another year to end their hoodoo in the men's singles here at the Stade Roland Garros.

Yesterday afternoon Ivan Lendl and Mats Wilander ended the 1985 US challenge — defeating Jimmy Connors and John McEnroe respectively.

The European victories were both recorded in straight sets — and in impressive style too.

Lendl, seeded two and the defending champion, took just two hours to advance at the expense of Connors, the No.3 seed, 6-2, 6-3, 6-1.

### Seed

Wilander, the No.4 seed, took 40 minutes longer to oust McEnroe, seeded one, 6-1, 7-5, 7-5.

The final between the Czechoslovak Lendl and Sweden's Wilander, the 1982 champion, is due to be decided here tomorrow afternoon.

CONNORS never had any answers to Lendl's lethal serve and powerful groundstrokes yesterday. In a match played under windy and dull conditions on centre court, the defending champion almost toyed with his opponent at times.

'I have to say I felt very good out there today. I was hitting the ball to the lines and he was unable to handle it,' said Lendl later.

As usual, Connors proved to be a bad loser. 'He just stood there today and hit the ball back. I thought I played well, but it just didn't work out,' he said later, surprising even his most ardent fans.

The truth of the matter is that the American was played off the court by Lendl who has prepared meticulously for this tournament.

### Best

'I feel I'm very close to my best,' Lendl told his after-match press conference. 'I'm moving well to get to the ball. Hitting it is not a problem, getting there is all important. Now I think I am moving well.'

His ability to get to the ball — no matter where Connors tried to place it — was certainly one of the deciding factors.

But the Czech's all-round game was much too good for the American.

In an attempt to excuse his poor performance against the electrifying speed and power of Lendl, Connors added later: 'I just don't have the time to prepare for this tournament. What the hell can you do?'

### MATTHEW NUGENT REPORTS FROM THE FRENCH OPEN

WILANDER'S frightening determination and the ability to pass McEnroe — particularly in the last set — were the major factors in his success.

The 20-year-old Swede romped through the first set while McEnroe was still warming up. 'I never thought the first match would finish so soon, I only got to the courts 30 minutes before I was due to go on and he (Wilander) had prepared for it,' said McEnroe later.

The second set went to serve with McEnroe, however, having no less than eight break points which he uncharacteristically let slip away.

### Points

'I thought I played well enough in the second set except for those break points. There were so many of them I cannot remember any specific one, only that I either made a mess of them or Wilander did well to score off them,' added McEnroe, who now intends to take a few days off before heading to London to practice on grass before Wimbledon.

Strangely subdued throughout, McEnroe astonishingly let a 5-1 lead in the third set slip away from him. Indeed at that score, and in the seventh game, he had two set points to keep alive his chances of reaching the final.

'The conditions were appalling out there but that's not sour grapes. You've got to give him full credit for adjusting his game and playing the big points,' McEnroe added before departing from Roland Garros for another year without the men's singles title.

### SUMMARIES

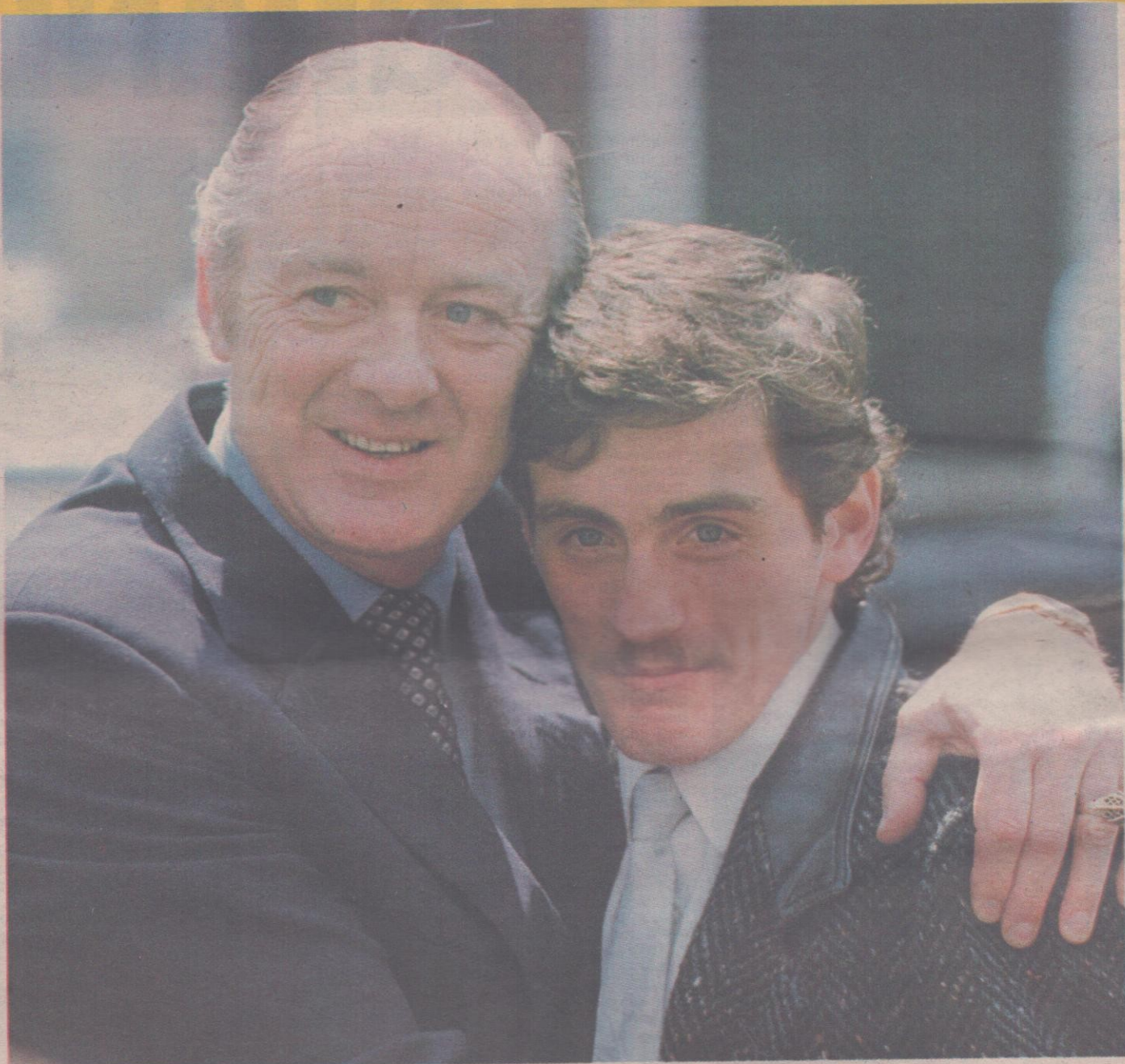
**TOUR MATCH**  
HEADINGLEY: Australia 195 for two dec (Wood 102 n.o., Ritchie 58 n.o.), Yorkshire 124 for two (Boycott 52 n.o.).

**BENSON AND HEDGES CUP**  
Quarter-finals  
NORTHAMPTON: Northants 158 for two (34 overs) (Cook 78, Larkins 52) v Kent. Match abandoned. Kent qualify on faster wicket taking rate in zonal matches.

**WORCESTER:** Worcestershire 220 (Smith 57), Middlesex 45 for one (14 overs). Match abandoned. Middlesex qualify on faster wicket taking rate in zonal matches.

## BARRY'S MY BOY

BARNEY EASTWOOD and BARRY McGUIGAN . . . both confident of dethroning the world featherweight champion Eusebio Pedroza at Queen's Park Rangers' football stadium tonight. And they will be roared on by 13,000 Irish fans travelling over the Irish Sea, who will join a 12,000-strong contingent of London-based supporters.



## BARRY CAN DO IT

IRELAND will be roaring Barry McGuigan on tonight in the fight of his life. The Belfast-based fighter meets Eusebio Pedroza of Panama, one of the most formidable of world champions at the present time, over 15 rounds at Queen's Park Rangers football ground.

The prize is the WBA world featherweight title, which Pedroza won in April 1978 and has successfully defended an unparalleled 19 times.

It is a title that has almost grown to be a part of him and the two will be very difficult to separate.

But few fighters have caught the imagination more than the Irishman from Clones has done in his rise to this challenge.

Statistics may make McGuigan second favourite, yet those fight pundits who have followed his career closely sincerely believe that the little Irishman has qualities which he has not yet had to call on.

They believe that defence

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number 20 will be Pedroza's swansong and that McGuigan, the folk hero, is about to give the greatest performance of his professional career.

### Stopped

There are tiny chinks in Pedroza's apparent invincibility. He has been stopped three times, though none of them in the last eight years.

He has had to reduce about one-and-a-half stone in the past three months and, though there was no apparent weight troubles yesterday, Pedroza has had to

### HOW THEY MEASURE UP

|                  | EUSEBIO PEDROZA<br>8st 13lb 10oz | BARRY McGUIGAN<br>8st 13lb 15oz |
|------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| WEIGHT           | 8st 13lb 10oz                    | 8st 13lb 15oz                   |
| HEIGHT           | 5' 10"                           | 5' 6.25"                        |
| REACH            | 70"                              | 70"                             |
| CHEST            | 36"                              | 42"                             |
| CHEST (expanded) | 38.50"                           | 43.50"                          |
| BICEPS           | 13.75"                           | 14.25"                          |
| WAIST            | 29"                              | 28"                             |
| THIGH            | 19.25"                           | 21"                             |
| FIST             | 11.75"                           | 12"                             |

train extremely hard in the past week.

On Thursday night he requested an encounter with McGuigan at the obligatory trial weigh-in at a gym in Carnaby Street.

Pedroza had gone through a rigorous workout to make it six ounces inside the limit — most unusual for a man only 48 hours away from defending a

world title.

Maybe this sort of routine suits the champion, but it is an odd way of approaching an event like tonight.

McGuigan was one ounce inside the limit and had done no hard training in the past week.

Pedroza's training, however, suggests that he can no longer fight 15

rounds with careless abandon.

In the gym he has boxed a minute then cheated a minute, and McGuigan's job will be to put him under heavy continuous pressure.

The need to defend himself may also reduce the champion's chance of employing the little tricks he frequently uses — the follow-through with the elbow for one.

### Interest

Anything unorthodox by Pedroza will be answered, with interest, by McGuigan who can throw a tasty left hook to the thigh — or thereabouts.

Body punching may be the important factor. Both men rely on it heavily. Pedroza a two-hand and McGuigan with savage left-handed assaults. The ability to take it as well as give it out will be important.