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Mr Arthur Scargill and Mr Kinnock met at the Commons yesterday to review the prospects for a settlement of the coal strike in the wake of "hawkish" statements from the Government.

Earlier Mr Scargill had talks with Mr Stanley Orme, Shadow Energy Secretary, on the state of the dispute and the chances of negotiations resuming.

Mr Tebbit, Trade and Industry Secretary, yesterday denounced Mr Kinnock as "Arthur Scargill's puppy." Mr Kinnock, in a BBC radio interview, ignored the charge, stressing simply his commitment to maintain the coal industry and mining communities.
