

N.A.T.O. ON MANOEUVRES.

Bad weather grew steadily worse in Bavaria near the end of the 7-day NATO exercises. Among V.I.P's watching was Federal German Defence Minister Strauss. Helicopters demonstrated how 200 infantry could be transported in a matter of minutes to a threatened point. 60,000 American, French and West German troops took part. As it was all a winter exercise, conditions couldn't be too bad for the purpose.

Honest John, the atomic missile launched from the ground against ground-forces, was fired - without warhead.

15,000 tanks and armoured vehicles helped to make the operations the biggest of the kind NATO has ever staged.

Rarely seen before: an unmanned rocket plane, remote controlled, being launched just where wanted. Then, the deadly naphtha bomb. No punches pulled in these realistic manoeuvres.