

LABOUR CONFERENCE.

Delegates gather at Blackpool for the 55th Labour Party Conference. Dr. Edith Sumnerhill, Hugh Gaitskell, James Griffiths, and Labour's chief elder statesman, Earl Attlee. The ex-premier, is still a "must" for the autograph-hunters.

Anthony Greenwood is re-elected to the Executive by the constituencies; so are Harold Wilson and the only woman in this section, Barbara Castle. Seven members are chosen by the constituency rank-and-file; Ian Mikardo is also successful, as well as journalist Tom Driberg.

But the key struggle is between George Brown and the Party's stony petrel Nye Bevan, for the treasurership. Bevan wins - and after two years in the wilderness - he's back on the Party Executive.