

SUMMARY OF THE GENERAL POST  
Week beginning 17 December 1979

<u>Approx No</u>	<u>Subject</u>	<u>Comment</u>
124	Personal Hardship	32 Housing 26 Money 14 Miscellaneous 12 Employment 10 Pensions 9 Planning appeals CPO's etc 7 Disability 6 Tax 6 Education 4 Legal
68	Social Security	Abuse of social security (Article in Sunday Express on Bird family attached)
63	Pensions	Tax on widows' pensions, inadequacy of pension, delay in payment. Position of overseas pensioners 8 Grateful for £10 bonus
62	London Airport	Protests from Stansted about site of Third London Airport
59	Public Expenditure	42 Anti education cuts (school meals, transport) 17 Anti cuts in Health and Social Services
52	Prime Minister	Letters of good wishes and support
31	EEC	Britain should withdraw from Common Market
30	Cruelty to Animals	Anti factory farming (TV programme) imports of seal and whale products Anti vivisection
29	Nuclear Energy	Against proposed nuclear power stations
27	Prices	Complaints about rising food prices, fares and fuel charges
25	HM Government	Anti Government policy
23	Northern Ireland	Withdrawal of British Troops
22	Defence	Against siting of nuclear missiles in UK and pro unilateral disarmament

20	Immigration	Anti further immigration
16	Palestine Liberation Organisation	Postcards supporting recognition of PLO
14	Mortgages	Protests about increase in interest rates
13	Abortion	10 Pro Mr Corrie's Bill 3 Anti
11	Rent and Rates	Protests about proposed increases

1 Petition, 560 signatures against closure of Nuneaton Hospital

1 Petition, 218 signatures from COHSE against NHS cuts

935 Christmas cards

Total for the week

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