

SUMMARY OF THE GENERAL POST

Week beginning 19 November 1979

<u>Approx No</u>	<u>Subject</u>	<u>Comment</u>
246	London Airport	Anti Stanstead as Third London Airport
188	Personal Hardship	56 Housing 31 Money 23 Planning appeals CPOs etc 18 Tax 17 Pensions 14 Employment 12 Education 11 Disability 5 Miscellaneous 1 Legal
113	Public Expenditure	63 Anti cuts in education (transport, meals, nursery schools) 1 Petition 900 signatures from schools in Gwent 30 Anti hospital closures, cuts in social services 13 General 7 BBC World Service
110	MLR and Mortgages	Protests about rising mortgage rates; effect on small businesses
85	South East Asia	Relief for Kampuchea
81	Pensions	Inadequacy of pensions. Tax on pensions and widows' pensions. Unfairness of heating allowance. 5 Grateful for increase
55	Mr Blunt	Appalled at disclosure Demands for prosecution, and enquiry into Security Services
54	Prime Minister	Letters of good wishes and support
43	Defence	Calls for disarmament; anti nuclear missiles in East Anglia
37	Abortion	Pro Mr Corrie's Bill 5 Anti
29	Law & Order	Referendum on capital punishment
29	Personal Radio	Postcards supporting Citizens Band Radio

28	EEC	Withdrawal from Common Market
28	Cruelty to animals	Factory farming, ban on seal and whale imports, experiments on live animals
28	HM Government	Anti Government policy
21	Prices	Complaints about rising food prices, fuel, transport and telephones
21	Pay	Nurses and teachers pay. Individual pay problems
16	Rent and Rates	Complaints about proposed increases
15	Trade Unions	Curb on union powers; secret ballots; situation at British Leyland
12	Rhodesia	General comment on conference
12	Northern Ireland	Solutions for Irish problems

Total for the week

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