

PRIME MINISTER

LIAISON COMMITTEE

DIARY TO END OF YEAR

The diary for the rest of this year brings to the fore the following major issues:

- East-West relations (Reagan/Andropov relationship);
- GATT - whither protectionism?; →
- Fish - depending on the outcome of Monday's EC Fishing Council; ↗
- ← - Steel - future of British steel industry; →
- EC Budget - the staking out of positions at Copenhagen;
- 10th anniversary of our accession to the EC (on January 1, 1983).

In more detail other points arising are:

Policy

- Consultative document on trade union reform;
- White Paper on defence lessons of Falklands campaign;
- Government decisions on Cable TV.

International

- GATT Ministerial meeting - November 24-26;
- Euro Council - December 3-4.

Reports

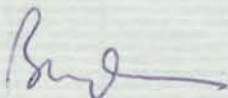
- Bridge on Trestrail (today); ↗
- Government response to Shackleton Report;
- ? Franks Report.

Pay etc

- ? settlement of NHS dispute (December 15);
- Waterworkers;
- ← - pit closures. →

Your speeches etc

- St. Andrew's Night, Edinburgh (Friday);
- Conference on Information Technology, Barbican (December 8);
- New Year's Eve interviews for radio and tv.



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23 November 1982

NOVEMBER

- 24 GATT Ministerial meeting (to 27).
25 Prime Minister meets Herr Schmidt (private visit).
TUC General Council; Labour Party National Executive.
26 PRIME MINISTER'S ST ANDREW'S NIGHT DINNER SPEECH, EDINBURGH.
29 EC FISHERIES COUNCIL.
Annual Conference of British/Irish Association, Lambeth Palace.
30 Deadline for settlement of EC Budget problem.
MPO 1st Anniversary - Prime Minister attends party.
Prime Minister attends Buckingham Palace reception for
diplomatic corps.

DECEMBER

- ? Consultative document on trade union reform.
? White Paper on Defence lessons of Falklands campaign.
? Post Rayner.
1 PRIME MINISTER MEETS KING HASSAN.
2 Official reserves.
Unemployment figures (November).
3 EUROPEAN COUNCIL, COPENHAGEN (to 4).
6 Law of the Sea Treaty signing.
WPI.
8 PRIME MINISTER OPENS CONFERENCE ON INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY,
BARBICAN.
NEDC.
UK balance of payments.
9 CGBR.
10 PRIME MINISTER AT YOUNG ENTERPRISE NATIONAL COMPANY COMPETITION
PRESENTATION.
13 Index of industrial production.
15 Association of University Teachers' conference, Bradford (to 17).
16 Cyclical indicators (November).
17 Index of retail prices.
PRIME MINISTER'S VISIT TO BRITISH AEROSPACE, KINGSTON.
Retail price index (November).

December contd.

- 20 CBI Monthly Trends Inquiry.
- 22 TUC General Council; Labour Party Executive.
Prime Minister receives turkey from British Turkey Federation.
- 24 Recess.
- 29 & PRIME MINISTER'S INTERVIEW WITH LAURENS VAN DER POST.
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- 30 PRIME MINISTER'S NEW YEAR RADIO/TV BROADCASTS.
- ? by end FRANKS REPORT ON HANDLING OF FALKLAND ISLANDS.
year
- ? " " Government response to Shackleton Report.