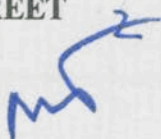




10 DOWNING STREET

Prime Minister



Of their own volition, the Coal
Board have postponed for 4 weeks
their plans for closing ~~the~~ both of the
two collieries, in Scotland
and Wales.

Since this is the Board's own
wish, and since Scotland and
Wales are being treated similarly,
this seems satisfactory: no action.

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