

N. Zealand



10 DOWNING STREET

Prime Minister.

This is a rather
formidable brief for a
single conversation.

But the N. Zealanders are
well aware that there is
not a working meal.

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17.6.



Foreign and Commonwealth Office

London SW1A 2AH

12 June 1981

Dear Michael,

in folder attached

Visit of Mr Muldoon

I enclose briefing for the Prime Minister's dinner with Mr Muldoon on 18 June, and a personality note.

Mr Muldoon was last here in June 1980, when he called on the Prime Minister at Chequers. He will visit London from 18-21 June, following visits to Rome and to the Annual Ministerial Council Meeting of OECD in Paris, and prior to an official visit to Bonn. He will be calling separately on Lord Carrington and Mr Walker on 19 June.

The New Zealand High Commission have informed us that during his talks with the Prime Minister, Mr Muldoon would like to concentrate on EC and world economic issues, CHOGM and sporting contacts, whilst also touching on the new French and US administrations.

Mr Muldoon has repeatedly urged us not to turn our backs on the South Pacific and may raise this again. The Prime Minister could assure him that we shall continue to maintain an interest and diplomatic presence in the South Pacific. She could instance Mr Blaker's attendance at the Celebrations in Suva of the 10th Anniversary of Fiji Independence in October 1980, followed by his attendance at the South Pacific Conference in Port Moresby, and a visit to Tonga. She could also mention that Mr Marten visited the area in February/March of this year. We maintain eight diplomatic missions in the area.

Mr Muldoon is always careful to cultivate the press, and may, as on previous occasions, talk to them frankly about his conversation with the Prime Minister if he sees no reason why he should not. But we are confident that he will respect confidentiality where he sees the need or when asked.

Yours ever
Roderic Lyne

(R M J Lyne)
Private Secretary

M O'D B Alexander Esq
10 Downing St



S Goodchild
N Zealand
Foreign and Commonwealth Office

London SW1A 2AH

June
8 March 1981

Ms Goodchild
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Dear Michael,

Visit of Mr Muldoon

We included Mr Blaker in the draft guest list which was submitted under cover of our letter of 27 May, as the Minister responsible for New Zealand.

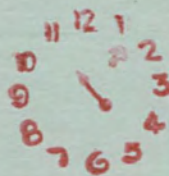
As Mr Ridley has assumed responsibility for the area, you may wish to include him on the guest list.

yours ever
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(R M J Lyne)
Private Secretary

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8 JUN 1981



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cc Mr Goodchild

Foreign and Commonwealth Office

London SW1A 2AH

New Zealand

*Mrs Goodchild
to inform*

27 May 1981

Dear Michael,

Visit of Mr Muldoon

Caroline Stevens told Chris Jebb that the Prime Minister's dinner for Mr and Mrs Muldoon would be for a total of 32.

I now enclose a draft guest list. The Foreign and Commonwealth Secretary is committed to entertaining the Polish Foreign Minister on the same evening, and the Lord Privy Seal will be in the USA. Mr Blaker is available and has been included on the list as the Minister responsible for New Zealand.

*yours etc
R M J Lyne*

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DRAFT GUEST LIST

DINNER HOSTED BY THE PRIME MINISTER AND MR THATCHER IN HONOUR
OF THE NEW ZEALAND PRIME MINISTER AND MRS MULDOON, ON THURSDAY
18 JUNE AT 10 DOWNING STREET

HOST

Prime Minister, The Rt Hon Margaret Thatcher MP
and Mr Thatcher

GUEST OF HONOUR

The Rt Hon R D Muldoon, CH
and Mrs Muldoon

NZ OFFICIAL PARTY

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| Mr B V Galvin | Secretary of the Treasury |
| Mr B L Lockstone | Chief Press Secretary |
| Mr S Murdoch | Prime Minister's Department |
| Mr H B Hewett | Principle Private Secretary |

NEW ZEALAND HIGH COMMISSION

HE The Hon L W Gandar
and Mrs Gandar

Mr B M Brown Deputy High Commissioner
and Mrs Brown

H M GOVERNMENT

Secretary of State for Defence, The Rt Hon John Nott MP
and Mrs Nott

Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries & Food
The Rt Hon Peter Walker MBE MP
and Mrs Walker

Minister of State FCO, Peter Blaker Esq MP
and Mrs Blaker

OPPOSITION

The Rt Hon Michael Foot MP
and Mrs Foot

OR

The Rt Hon Dennis Healey, MP
and Mrs Healey

OR

The Rt Hon Peter Shore MP
and Dr Shore

/ PARLIAMENT

PARLIAMENT (ANZAC GROUP)

The Rt Hon Alfred Morris MP (Secretary)
and Mrs Morris

OR

Mr David Stoddart MP
and Mrs Stoddart

OR

Mr James Marshall MP
and Mrs Marshall

FCO

Lord Bridges CMG DUSS
and Lady Bridges

for economic affairs

OR

Mr A E Donald CMG
and Mrs Donald AUSS

for Asia and the Pacific

BUSINESS

Mr J M Durber
and Mrs Durber

Chairman, Hawker Siddeley
Railway Projects Limited
Bishop Meadow Road
Loughborough, LE11 0RF Leics
Tel: 0509 36201
(Likely to be part of the
Transmark consortium: see below)

OR

Mr K V Smith OBE
and Mrs Smith

Managing Director, Transmark
International House, Chiltern St W1
Tel: 486 0331
(Recently awarded contract for
signals: NZ Railways)

Mr R Atkinson
and Mrs Atkinson

Chairman, British Shipbuilders
243 Knightsbridge SW7
Tel: 589 3488
(Interested in Cook Strait Ferry
contract and other contracts in NZ)

OR

Sir Lindsay Alexander
and Lady Alexander

Chairman, Lloyds Bank Inter-
national Ltd. 40 Queen Victoria
Street, EC4
Tel 248 9822

/MEDIA

MEDIA

Sir John Junor
and Lady Junor

Editor, The Daily Express
Fleet Street, EC4Y 2NJ
Tel: 353 8000

OR

Mr Douglas Muggeridge
and Mrs Muggeridge

Managing Director of
External Services, BBC
BBC External Services
Bush House, Strand WC2
Tel: 240 3456

DISTINGUISHED NEW ZEALANDER VISITING BRITAIN

The Rt Hon J B Gordon
and Mrs Gordon

(Retired NZ Minister of Trans-
port and close associate of Mr
Muldoon)
c/o NZ High Commission

ALTERNATIVES/RESERVES

HE Mr Shridath Surendranath Ramphal KT CMG QC

Secretary General
Commonwealth Secretariat

OR

Mr E C Anyaoku
and Mrs Anyaoku

Deputy Secretary General

Sir Alexander Ross (New Zealander)
and Lady Ross

Chairman, Commonwealth Games
Federation,
12 Buckingham Street, WC2

Mr and Mrs Desmond Park
(Kiri Te Kanawa OBE)
(Soprano Opera signer)

c/o Artists International
Management,
3-4 Albert Terrace, NW1 7SU
Tel: 485 1070

BUSINESS

Mr Ian Macgregor
and Mrs Macgregor

Chairman, British Steel Corp.
33 Grosvenor Place, SW1X 7SG
Tel: 235 1212
(Interests in New Zealand)

OR

Mr R Hooper
and Mrs Hooper

Director, Prestell International
Lutyens House, Finsbury Circus
EC2
Tel: 432 5744
(New Zealand Govt interested in
similar teledate scheme)

/TRADES

TRADES UNIONISTS

Mr T Jackson
and Mrs Jackson

General Secretary, Union of
Communications Workers
UCW House, Crescent Lane
SW4 9RN
Tel: 622 9977

OR

Mr A Fisher
and Mrs Fisher

General Secretary NUPE
Civic House, Barton Terrace
SE3 0QY
Tel: 852 2848

OR

Mr J Gormley
and Mrs Gormley

President, National Union of
Miners, 222 Euston Road,
NW1 2BX
Tel: 387 7631



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NZeland*

10 DOWNING STREET

From the Private Secretary

11 May 1981

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VISIT OF MR. MULDOON

I am writing to confirm that the Prime Minister is happy to entertain Mr. and Mrs. Muldoon to dinner at 10 Downing Street on Thursday, 18 June.

We will require a full brief to reach this office by close of play on Friday 12 June.

CAROLINE STEPHENS

R. M. J. Lyne Esq.,
Foreign and Commonwealth Office.



Feb 16

10 DOWNING STREET

MR. ALEXANDER

I have confirmed with the Foreign and Commonwealth Office that the Prime Minister is happy to give dinner to Mr. and Mrs. Muldoon on Thursday, 18 June.

Will separate talks be required?

CAROLINE STEPHENS

11 May 1981



10 DOWNING STREET

MR. THATCHER

The Prime Minister is entertaining the Prime Minister of New Zealand and Mrs. Muldoon to dinner on Thursday, 18 June.

Can the invitations go out in your joint names?

CAROLINE STEPHENS

11 May 1981



①
Prime Minister

Agree?

Dinner for 32?

Yes no

RMB

Foreign and Commonwealth Office

London SW1A 2AH

8 May 1981

Dear Michael,

Visit of Mr Muldoon

We have been informed by the New Zealand High Commission that Mr Muldoon, accompanied by his wife, will visit London from 18 to 21 June. The High Commission have informed us that Mr Muldoon would be grateful if he could see the Prime Minister. On previous occasions (1979 and 1980) the Prime Minister has offered hospitality to Mr Muldoon. In terms of Anglo-New Zealand relations (particularly our involvement in New Zealand/EC matters but also with the CHGM in view), it would be most appropriate if the Prime Minister were able to offer a dinner in honour of Mr and Mrs Muldoon. I understand that the evening of 18 June might be free.

If this proposal meets your approval, and if you will advise me of the number of guests, we shall submit a list.

Yours ever

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