

PRIME MINISTER

YOUR VISIT TO PARIS

You are to spend the weekend of 25/26 February in Paris before the Anglo-French Summit on 27 February. I have had a talk with Ewen Fergusson about the programme. What we propose is as follows:

Saturday 25 February

1430 Depart Northolt

1630 Arrive Paris

2000 Dinner at the Embassy

Ewen is intending to get in about 14/16 guests whom he believes you will find of interest

Sunday 26 February

0900 Visit the Gaugin exhibition (in the hour before it is open to the public)

1100 Drive out to Vaux-le-Vicomte to see the gardens and for lunch. It is about an hour's drive but very fine, indeed spectacular.

1800/ Drinks at the Embassy for the senior staff

1900

2000 Small supper at the Embassy, possibly for the Chiracs

Content with this general outline?

*Yes - marvellous
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(C.D. POWELL)

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