



At lunch today

you w. add

to the things which

w. not be EC/integrated

~~the~~ under 'political

union' the crucial

war/peace decision just

graphically ^{& patriotically} described

by M. for France (not Europe)



You w. with a

(a) welcome what Kohl said
about NATO

(b) Endorse what Andreotti said
about C, and E. Europe as a
whole. We will be considering
this as next item. But
important that handling of

GDR in Commission's first
phase, i.e. before formal
unification, should not
cause difficulties in our
relations with other countries
in equal need. ...
Welcome what Kohl said
about nature of help for
GDR in this period, should
be on all fours with
what is available to other
C & E states. After
unification of course,
position change.



Mitterrand, being weak on
Substance, is putting the
accent on speed.

His careful historical
analysis of political cooperation.
(the subject in which he is ~~really~~
interested) leads him to the
conclusion that it shd. continue
to evolve, particularly into
security matters - but at that
point he wanders off into
generalities.

[The internal debate in France is
changing and making him more
cautious]