

HIGHLIGHTS

The Weekend

Your meeting with Mrs Bonner is likely to be prominent in Saturday's press, and your visit to Israel will be further evaluated by the weekend media.

"Weekend World" (ITV Sunday 12 noon) will be examining the forthcoming Cabinet "battle" on public spending. The Sunday lobby were interested in South Africa (sanctions?) and hippies (trespass and social security aspects).

Main Events

On Monday the CBI monthly trends inquiry for May is published. The House of Commons Committee on the Channel Bill publishes its special report. You are presented with a souvenir from Boys' and Girls' Brigades. Mr Baker addresses the British Association of Science Audits. Mrs Chalker departs for Harare. "World in Action" (ITV 8.30 pm) looks at Britain's nuclear future.

On Tuesday there is an Opposition Day debate on the Government's economic policies, and also a debate on the Channel Tunnel Bill procedure. The UK official reserves for May are published. Mr Hurd addresses the Conservative Women's Conference. Mr Trippier judges the BBC Radio 4 Enterprise Awards.

On Wednesday you address the Conservative Women's Conference. The PAC publishes a report on the cost of defence equipment. Mr Fowler talks to Esther Rantzen as part of the BBC Child Watch Campaign. "Diverse Reports" (Channel 4, 8.30 pm) looks at anti-American attitudes in Britain.

On Thursday the Second Reading of the Channel Tunnel Bill is debated. The 1986 Q1 balance of payments figures are published, and also DTI's industrial investment intentions survey for 1986 and 1987. You meet the New Zealand Prime Minister, and later host a dinner in honour of Bill Deedes. Lord Young takes part in a phone-in on a BBC Radio 4 programme on starting up a business (7.40 pm). Mr Peter Walker appears on Question Time (BBC TV 1, 11 pm).

On Friday you present a letter for the French Prime Minister to OAPs who are making a charity run from London to Paris, and later visit BOC's London Computer and Electronic School in Hammersmith. Mr Dalyell's Private Member's Motion is debated. Mr Younger appears on "Any Questions" (BBC Radio 4, 8.45 pm).

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