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+ In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1444 :

- p. 1 <u>Resumption of work</u>: the coming sessions of the Councils and the Convergence for British accession.
- p. 1/2- <u>Prorogation of the notification of sole agent agreements</u>: the Commission has requested Parliament be recalled for an extraordinary session.
- p. 1 "Eurosyndicat" Stock exchange index (for last week): 145.11 (+0.07%).
- p. 2 E.E.C. E.F.T.A. relations : declaration by the new Chairman on the E.F.T.A. Council, Sen. Correa de Oliveira.
  - <u>French sweet imports</u>: the Commission has prolonged its authorisation of a compensatory tax.
  - <u>Nuclear energy costs</u> : by 1965 they should be lower than those of some orthodox power stations.
- p. 3 Licence and sole agent contracts : the Commission's decisions have been published in the Official Gazette.
- p. 3/4- <u>Sole agent contracts</u>: statements by Scandinavian industry and the E.E.C. Chambers of Commerce.
- p. 4 Tariff quotas : first decisions by the Council.
- p. 5 <u>Air transport</u>: "Airunion" still up against formidable difficulties.
   <u>Pig production</u>: French parliamentary question about forrage wheat prices.
   Taxes of equivalent effect: the case of the surtax on whisky, gin and vodka.
- p. 6 Federation of Belgian Industries : the adoption of numerous measures to ensure the proper working of the Common Market called for.

+ In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No 2803 :

- p. 1 ECSC-UK negotiations : optimism with regard to the steel sector, but no real progress with regard to coal.
  - American scrap : the composite-price stays at 25.83 dollars per ton.
- p. 2 French imports of solid fuels from EEC sources : considerable decline in 1962.
   Coal industry : the labour is becoming easier.
   Austria is to build a steel works for the USSR.
- p. 3 <u>Iron mine closures</u> : two French parliamentary questions.
   <u>Stèël prices</u> : modifications in Belgian and Italian schedules.

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\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1445 :

- p. 1 Industrial imports from the U.S. : complete liberation to be recommended by the Commission.
  - <u>Commercial policy</u>: Germany is bringing up the problem of its orange and tomato imports from Marocco before the Council.
  - Franco-German cooperation : Adenauer will visit Paris on January 21st.
  - "Eurosyndicat" Stock Exchange index : 145.35 (+0.17).
- p. 2 <u>Sole agent contracts</u> : the Commission wants different treatment to be accorded to the three different categories.
- p. 3 Organisation of the agricultural markets : the Ministers of Agriculture must take a series of urgent decisions.
  - European Commission : some new appointments.
- p. 3/4 <u>Common agricultural policy</u> : 15 regulations or decisions published in the Official Gazette,
- p. 4 E.E.C.-Algeria relations : message from the Algerian government to the Commission.
- p. 5 <u>U.K.Bank rate</u>: further reduction from 4.5% to 4%.
   O.E.C.D. study of the Canadian economy: the need for structural reforms.
- p. 6 Interpenetration.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2805 :

- p. 1 <u>Crude steel production</u> : a further reduction forecast for the lst quarter of 1963
   American scrap : the composite-price goes up to 26.50 dollars per ton.
- p. 2 Dumping on the American market : O.E.C.D. to be consulted.
- p. 3 Ruhr coal industry : large-scale closures forecast for 1963.
  - Community coal production : slight fall in 1962.
  - Crude steel production : 1962 figures back to the 1960 level.
  - "Coal and other sources of energy" : a collection of statistics has just been published.
    - \* See over : Energy prices and competitiveness.

#### Luxembourg, 4 January 1963

+In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1446 :

- p. 1 <u>E.E.C.-U.K</u>.: the resumption of the negotiations will be preceded by a series of hifg level political talks.
  - Equal pay : according to a first report achievements so far are rather limited.
- p. 1/2- <u>E.E.C. -Algeria</u>: the problems that would be raised by any temporary agreement.
- p. 3 <u>Economic and Social Committee</u>: opinion<sub>6</sub> are being prepared on the general problems facing the Community.
- P. 4 <u>Common policy for dairy products</u>: The Commission is in favour of a levy on all vegetable fats.
- p. 4/5- Insurance in nuclear matters: the achievements of the Florence Colloquium.
- p. 5 Right of establishment : a new proposal by the Commission.
- p: 6 European Development Fund : recent activity.

+ In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2806 :

- p. 1 <u>Scrap perequation</u>: the H .A. calls for the payment of all contributions by "scrap groups".
  - <u>Price alignment</u>: the existence of third country supplies of tin plate must be proved.
  - Dumping in the U.S.: details on the anti'dumping procedure.
- p. 2 Wholesale coal trade and the rules of competition : the German coal trade calls on the H.A, to state its position.
- p. 2/3- Metal-processing industries: prospects for the 1st quarter of 1963.
- p. 3 German steel market : divergent forecasts as development of demand.

+ See over : Will Europe die of success?

#### Luxembourg, 5th January 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1447 :

- p. 1 E.E.C-U.K. negotiations : the Mansholt Committee is to draw up its report next week.
  - <u>E.E.C-A.O.S. relations</u> : M. Henri Rochereau is to pay an official visit to several Associated States in Equatorial Africa.
- p. 1/2 Community communications network : the situation with regard to the railways.
- p. 2/3 <u>Association of Overseas States</u>: certain purely formal decisions have still to be taken by the Council.
- p. 3 <u>Application of the Treaty of Rome to Algeria</u>: the European Commission will let the Parliament know what the position is later on.
   - European Parliament : four Committee meetings planned for the coming week.
- p. 4 <u>Problems of British accession</u>: British industry calls for the adoption of turnover tax.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No 2807 :

- p. 1 <u>Pig iron consumption</u>: a slight reduction is forecast for the first quarter of 1963.
- p. 1/2 Turnover tax compensatory tax : bill for an increase in the German rates.
- p. 2 <u>Transport rate publicity</u> : the Dutch Government declares itself ready to observe its Treaty obligations in full.

\* The week in Europe.

Luxembourg, 7th January 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1448 :

- p. 1 Exclusive agent agreements : Mr. van der Groeben is to discuss die conditions of its prorogation with the Permanent Representatives tomorrow.
- p. 1/2 <u>Rice, dairy products, and beef</u> : a political decision faces the Ministers in the matter of market organisation.
- p. 2 <u>E.E.C-Turkey negotiations</u> : hopes for a fruitful meeting next Monday.
- p. 3 Parliamentary Committee for Agriculture : the organisation of the animal fats market on the agenda for the next meeting.
- p. 3/4 German import tax on worsteds : the Commission's reply to a parliamentary question from Mr. Müller-Hermann.
- p. 4/5 E.D.F. development grants : reply by the Commission to a parliamentary question from Mr. Pedini.
- p. 5 <u>Vertical agreements</u> : provisional reply by the Commission to a parliamentary question from Mr. Blaisse.
- p. 5/6 Common agricultural policy : written questions Nos. 131-135 by Mr. Vredeling.
- p. 6 <u>Agricultural prices</u>: the parliamentary Foreign Trade Committee calls for the adoption of a liberal policy by the Commission.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2808 :
- p. 1 British steel industry : the introduction of a basing-point price system delayed.
  - Interpretation of markets : the E.C.S.C. transport statistics reveal the progress made.
  - A company for the rent of equipment to the steel industry has been established in France.
- p. 2 Demand for furnace coke : an appreciable decline is forecast for the first quarter of 1963.
  - <u>Mining safety precautions</u> : the participation of workers' representatives in the supervision of coal mines.
- p. 3 French coin to be manufactured out of stainless steel.
   Energy policy : Mr. van der Rest explains the point of view of the Belgian consumer.

\* See over : The next hundred days.

### Luxembourg, January 8th, 1963.

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• In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1449 :

- p.1 European Development Fund investments : the Presidents of Dahomey and Niger to visit Brussels shortly for talks.
  - Exclusive agent contracts : divergence of views among the members of the European Parliament on the question of the extension of the time limit.
  - E.E.C.-Latin America relations : the European Parliament is to draw up a report.
- p. 2/3 German compensatory tax for the turnover tax: interpretation of the "standstill" agreement - the policy of the Commission.
- p.3 Margarine production costs : written question No. 138 by Mr. Dulin.
  - Dutch discount rate : reduction from 4 to 3.5 %.
- p.4 European Development Fund : recent activities.
  - <u>Market in refridgerators</u>: France requests permission to apply safety measures against imports from Italy.
- p.5 Interpenetration.

• In to-day's E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2809 :

- p.1 <u>Marketing prospects for coal</u>: probable developments from the point of view of the various basins in the Community.
  - Scrap prices : fall on the Italian Market.
- p.2 Community exports in 1961 : publication of the statistics.
  - Coal imports : forecast of developments during the first quarter of 1963.
    - Coal industry : forecast of future improvements in the output per shift.
- p.3 <u>Merger of the Executives</u> : a possibility of real progress in 1963 ?
  - Fuel oil taxation in Germany : Bonn intends to extend it for another five years.
    - Iron mine closures in Germany.
      - EUROPE/Documents Nr. 181 : The new Association Convention between the African States and Madagascar and the European Economic Community.
      - See over : The long-term outlook for energy.

### Luxembourg, 9th January, 1963

- \* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1450 :
- p. 1 Exclusive agent contracts : the prorogation of the deadline for notification is off.

-"Eurosyndicat" Stock Exchange Index: 144.68 (-0.46%).

- pp 2/3 E.E.C. communications network II : roads and inland waterways.
- pp 3/4 E.E.C.-Marcoco trading relations : the experts of the Council of Ministers are to study the problem.
- p. 4 <u>Nuclear insurance</u> : member states are worried about the insurance of installations belonging to Euratom.
  - <u>Right of establishment</u>: the Parliamentary Internal Market Committee approves two reports on the subject.
- p. 5 Foreign workers and social security : written questions Nos.136-137 by Mr. Troclet.
  - European parliament : the Social Committee has adopted a report on the sulphur industry in Italy

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2810 :

- p. 1 Coal production : relatively slight decline in 1962.
- pp 1/2 Crude steel production : minute decline in 1962
- pp 2/3 "Group scrap": the High Authority is defendant in another law suit.
- p. 3 American coal : estimates as to the future development of prices c.i.f.

\* See over : Energy and competitivity at the world level.

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• In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1451 :

- p. 1 Macmillan-Fanfani meeting on February 1st.
  - E.E.C.-U.S. negotiations : Mr. Herter is to visit Brussels on January 25th-26th.
  - Euratom-U.K. negotiations : the deputies study the possibility of transferring certain British research centres to the Community.
- p. 2 <u>German Polish trade agreement</u> : acute discontent in Dutch official circles. - <u>European Development Fund</u>: official concern over the lack of competition for tenders.
- P. 3 <u>Delays in publication in the Official Gazette</u> : written question No. 139 by Mr. Blaisse.
- pp 3/4 Sulphur, lead and zinc : the Italian rationalisation programmes.
- PP 4/5 E.E.C.-U.K. negotiations : the Mansholt Committee will draw up its report next week. The programme for the next ministerial session.
- p. 5 Criteria for agricultural target prices : the Commission will make a proposal.
  - In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No 2811 :
- p. 1 <u>Luxembourg steel industry</u>: the conciliation procedure is to be employed in the current wage negotiations.
  - <u>Apartment blocks built with E.C.S.C. funds</u>: written question No.140 by Mr. Pedini.
  - <u>American scrap</u> : the composite price remains at 26.50 dollars per ton relative optimism with regard to developments in the U.S, steel industry.
- p. 2 <u>Community coal industry</u>: details as to the marketing situation in 1970. - Court of Justice :new law suit against a particular decision by the H.A.

• And in the Joint supplement :

- <u>Prospects for energy</u>: Mr. Lapie presents a basic document designed to help governments make the necessary political choices.
  - See over : Switzerland and Europe .

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• In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1452 :

- p. 1 E.E.C.-U.K. negotiations : the next session will be a lengthy one.
   British accession : the Dutch Parliament calls for a change in the method of conducting the negotiations.
- pp 2/3 British accession: Mr. La Malfa's proposal puts the British Government in an embarassing position.
- p. 3 Italy and British accession : declaration by Mr. Piccioni.
  - Washington and the British accession : a change of plans?
     E.E.C. Algeria relations : the Commission is studying the Algerian requests in a spirit of compromise.
- p. 4 <u>Refridgerators</u>: France requests the authorisation of a compensatory tax against Italian importations.
  - Export rebates : the E.E.C. Commission will give its versict on Italian law No. 103 in February.
  - Exclusive agent agreements : an E.E.C. Commission communiqué announcing the impossibility of any extension of the deadline.
  - Draft regulation on dairy products : acite concern in Dutch circles.
  - Organisation of the fats market : the European Commission is to prepare a new compromise formula.
  - Parliamentary Committee of Transport : the main items on the agenda.
  - E.E.C.-O..A.S. Association : the Convention may be signed in Tananarive on February 4th.
  - <u>Consultative Committee for Wine</u> : the regulations for quality wines are now under study.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2812 :

- p. 1 <u>Publication of the document on energy prospects</u> : the coal producers express their reservations.
- pp 1/2 Transport rate publicity : representatives of the High Authority are to meet shortly with the Dutch Government.
- p. 2 Steel prices : lowering of several Italian schedules.
- pp 2/3 <u>Coal prospects</u> : marketing possibilities in 1970 according to the cost of imported energy.
- p. 3 <u>Working accidents</u> : reduction in number following rationalisation of the coal mines.
  - German coal industry : continuing campaign for mechanisation.

ooo and in the Joint Supplement :

- Enlargement of the Communities: the institutional problems are being studied by the Executives and representatives of the Governments .
- <u>Meeting between the Chairman of the European Parliament and the Chairmen</u> of the national Parliaments.

• EUROPE Documents No. 176 : A Report on Economic Growth in the O.E.C.D. Countries during the decade 1960-1970

• See over : Adjournement or session.

#### Luxembourg, January 12th 1963

\* In to-day-s COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1453 :

- p. 1 Rice, dairy products , and beef: the Ministers of Agriculture will continue their discussions on the organisation of the market on Monday.
- pp 1/2 <u>E.E.C-Argentine relations</u> : the Argentine Government is acutely concerned about the common agricultural policy.
- p. 2 Economic and Financial Committee of the E.P. : regional policy on the agenda for the next meeting.
  - Consultative Assembly : the January session begins on Monday.
  - E.E.C. wine supplies : statistics published.
  - Budgetary accounts : statistics for E.E.C. countries 1952-1961.
- p. 3 <u>Euratom-UK negotiations</u>: the experts undertake a comparative study of the British and Community fast reactor programmes.
  - Agricultural prices : statistics published.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2813 :

- pp 1/2 Community steel industry : steep drop in new orders for rolled steel in December
- p. 2 <u>Italian miners dismissed in Dutch Limbourg</u>: High Authority reply to parliamentary question No. 125 by Mr. Sabatini.
  - \* In the Joint Supplement
  - British accession : any alternative solution will be coldly received
  - Meeting of the Chairmen of the national Parliaments : M. Martino emphasises its importance.
  - Political Committee of the E.P. : the powers and competences of Parliament on the agenda.

\* The Week in Europe

<u>No. 571</u>

Luxembourg, January 14th, 1963

• In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1454 :

- pp 1/6 Council of Ministers of Agriculture : the organisation of the dairy products market under study
- pp 1/4 E.E.C.-U.K. negotiations : the agenda has been drawn up the Mansholt report will be submitted to the conference tomorrow.
- p. 2 Belgian nuclear industry : the importance of international cooperation.
- PP 2/3 "Free circulation" : the list of products for which France, Germany, and Italy are dispensed from the Community rules.
- pp 3/4 Community balance of payments : deterioration of 1.5 billion dollars in 1962.
- P. 4 C.I.S.L.-T.U.C. meeting in London on January 25th.
- P. 5 Interpenetration.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2814 :

- p. 1 E.C.S.C. Ireland : the Irish Government has requested membership.
- pp 1/2 <u>Dumping in the U.S.</u>: an interesting proposal by the Consultative Committee.
- p. 2 Steel market situation ! new proposals from the High Authority.
- P. 3 <u>Compensatory tax on the turnover tax</u>: parliamentary question N. 141 by Mr. Vanrullen.
  - European steel market : worrying developments with regard to prices in 1961
  - Energy policy : the Consultative Committee is to give a genuiune opinion
    - and in the Joint Supplement :
  - France and British accession : General de Gaulle considers the present negotiations could lead to an association agreement.
  - Italy and British accession : Mr. La Malfa clarifies his position.

•See over : The hard winter in Brussels. • EUROPE DOCUMENTS No. 182 :

Mr. George Ball on the Trade Expansion Act and the role of exports to Europe in solving the American Balance of payments problems.

#### Luxembourg, January 15th, 1963

• In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1455 :

- p. 1 <u>Petroleum products</u> : resumption of technical studies between the Six on the customs duty to be levied.
- pp 1/3 British agriculture and the common agricultural policy : the Mansholt Committee submits its conclusions. Important British concession on the length of the transition period.
- p. 3 Luxembourg and Community publications : written question No. 147 by Mr. Fohrmann.
- p. 4 <u>Harmonisation of pharmaceutical legislation</u> : the problems of control and publicity are now being studied.
  - Europe-U.S. relations: President Kennedy reaffirms the desire of the United States to greet Europe as an equal partner.
  - Regional policy : practical measures are being prepared by the Commission.
- p. 5 Common agricultural policy : written questions Nos. 142'146 by Mr. Vredeling.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2815 :

- pp 1/3 <u>Consultative Committee</u> : long debate on the difficulties being experienced by the coal and steel industries.
- P. 3 <u>Consultative Committee</u> : election of Chairman and Bureau for 1963. - <u>E.C.S.C.-U.S..relations</u> : the President of the Interstate Commerce Commission and the American Undersecretary of State for Transport visit the High Authority.

... in the Joint Supplement :

- p. 1 European Parliament : the agenda for the next plenary session.
- p. 2 After the de Gaulle speech : reactions from the various countries.

• See over : Keeping cool.

### Luxembourg, January 16th, 1963

• In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1456 :

- p. 1 <u>E.E.C.-Latin America relations</u>: the Commission proposes a series of practical measures in a note to the Council.
- p. 1 "Eurosyndicat" stock exchange index : 140.82 (-2.6%).
- p. 3 <u>Euratom</u>: the Commission proposes the harmonisation of all teaching of nuclear techniques.
  - <u>Economic Bulletin for Europe (U.N.O.)</u> : private consumption is now the principal force for economic growth in Western Europe.
    - E.E.C.-U.K. negotiations : a"positive" reply from the Six on the institutional problem.
- p. 4 British agriculture discussed by the Six : certain member states want to make further concessions on wheat to the U.K.
  - The E.E.C. rubber industry welcomes the enlargement of the Common Market.
- pp 5/6 E.E.C.-Latin American relations: the practical measures envisaged by the Commission.
- .p. 6 <u>Council of Ministers of Agriculture</u> : the progress achieved on the various matters under discussion.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2816 :

- p. 1 Steel market : alarming extent of the price depression.
  - <u>Steel prices</u>: new scheduled prices by two French factories.
- p. 2 Shortage of coal for domestic use : the situation in France.
  - German shift bonus : a solution to the problem?
  - Saar coal industry : large government grant for rationalisation.
  - Consultative Committee : the new chairmen of the Permanent Committees.

..... in the Joint Supplement :

- Meeting of the"Transport" Interexecutive.

- <u>Transport policy</u> : the Interstate Commerce Commission is ready to give the Community the benefit of itd experience.
  - See over : Playing the game
  - EUROPE/Documents No. 177 : A REPORT ON PRODUCTION COSTS AND PRICES IN THE O.E.C.D. COUNTRIES

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• In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1457 :

- pp 1/6 <u>E.E.C.-U.K.</u> negotiations deadlocked : France asks for a "technical" adjournment. Opposition from the other five. Attempts to save the cohesion of the Community.
- pp 2/3 <u>Possibility of Recession</u>: the Commission's recommendations to the other member states.
- pp 3/4 Economic situation in the E.E.C.: the Commission draws up its report on 1962 and makes its forecasts for 1963.
- p. 4 <u>Bank rates</u> : reduction in Switzerland and Greece.
   Sea fishing supplies : estimates for the E.E.C. draw up.
- p. 5 <u>Transport questions</u> : the President of the Interstate Commerce Commission makes contact with the European Commission.
  - <u>Common Transport policy</u> : the attitude of French transport users to the Executive's programme of action.
  - <u>Powdered milk imports into Germany</u> : the Commission extends its authorisation of a compensatory tax.
- p. 6 <u>Refrigerators</u> : France is authorised to apply a compensatory tax of 12% against imports from Italy.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2817 :

- p. 1 <u>Iron ore prices</u> : appreciable reduction by a French mine. - Steel : some investment projects.
- pp 1/2 <u>Ruhr selling organisations</u> : authorisation will only be possible under certain conditions.
- p. 1 American scrap : the composite-price rises to 27.17 dollars per ton.
- pp 2/3 Belgian coal : new common selling organisation authorised for three years by the H.A.
- p. 3 Steel price alignment : the H.A, is to reinforce its controls.

• See over : The impossible wager.

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Luxembourg, January 18th 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1458 :

- pp 1/6 Brief respite in the negotiations with the U.K. : the conference will not take a decision on the French request for suspension till January 28th.
- p. 2 <u>Possible slowing down of expansion</u>: the measures suggested to the member states by the European Commission.
  - <u>A.M.E.</u>: its extension and reform will shortly be decided on by the O.E.C.D. Gouncil.
- p. 3 <u>Common agricultural policy</u> : U.S. against the adoption of a protectionist price policy by the Community.
- p. 4 Insurance for the transport of radio-active materials : the conclusions reached by the experts.
  - <u>Grain target price criteria</u>: resolution by the Committee of Agriculture of the European Parliament.
- p. 5 E.E.C.-Turkey negotiations : the search for a compromise.
  - Agricultural imports from Communist countries : agreement in principle on the system to be applied.
  - G.A.T.T. : the ministerial meeting may be held in May.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2818 :

- p. 1 Iron ore : reduced production under the influence of imports of rich ore. - <u>Publication on energy prospects</u> : parliamentary question No. 148 by Mr. Posthumus.
- p. 2 Technical research : some decisions by the H.A.
  - Oil imports : the setting up of a licensing system is called for.
  - <u>Pig iron</u> : increased sales as a result of alignment on prices offered by third countries.
- pp 2/3 <u>Coal and steel production</u>: comparative developments in the Community and in other major producing countries.
- p. 3 Alignment of steel prices : the H.A.'s communication.
  - Negotiations with the U.K. : the Foreign Ministers are to continue their discussion of the French demand for an ajournment on January.28th.

\* See over : Who is responsible?

# No. 576 Luxembourg, January 19th 1963

• In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1459 :

- p. 1 <u>E.E.C. & Euratom Councils</u> : next week's session will take place on January 24th - European Parliament : enlarged powers advocated by the Political Committee.
- p. 1/2 <u>Community-Great Britain negotiations</u>: the respite granted the negotiators must be used to find a solution. The British reactions.
- P. 3 <u>Italian nuclear programme</u> : the C.N.E.N. hopes the Euratom Commission will collaborate more closely.
  - European Development Fund : recent activities.
  - EEC-Algeria : the Six prepare their reply to M. Ben Bella.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2819 :

- p. 1 <u>Committee for Coordination</u>: the agenda for the meeting of January 24th next - <u>Oven coke production</u>: fall of 1.8% in 1962.
- p. 1/2 <u>Coal and coke stocks</u> : virtual disappearance of unemployment due to lack of sales.
- p 2 E.C.S.C.-U.K. negotiations : the Deputies of the Five only to meet.

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\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No.1460:

- p. 1 <u>Waiting for January 28th</u>: the character and limitations of the Conference negotiating the conditions of British membership.
- p. 1/2 Common external tariff : will the linear reduction of 20% be annulled.
- p. 2/6 The Community and the U.K.: reactions and prospects in various countries.
- p. 3 <u>The price rise</u>: suggestions by the European Commission on the measures to take.
   <u>Internal Market Committee</u> : nomination of a rapporteur.
- p. 4 <u>Transport cost studies</u>: the European railways call for a speeding up.
   <u>Common agricultural policy</u> : German farmers might be granted compensation in the event of reduced grain prices.
- p. 4/5 Committee for External Trade : a resolution proposed on E.E.C.trading policy.
- p. 5 Agricultural price policy : declaration by C.O.P.A.
- p. 6 Interpenetration.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2820 :

- p. 1 <u>Building programme</u>: the H.A. grants loans for the construction of workers' housing in Belgium and Luxembourg.
  - E.C.S.C.-U.K. negotiations : meeting of the deputies without the French.
- p. 2 Coal : reduction in consumers' stocks.
  - <u>Closures</u> : the H.A. calls attention to its contribution to the readaptation of dismissed miners.
  - Scrap : towards a new nomenclature.
- p. 3 <u>Consultative Committee</u> : a special session will be held to discuss coal prospects for 1963.
  - Energie policy : the Council of Ministers will continue its discussions on the subject at its next meeting.
  - Steel production : trends in capacity utilisation.

\* See over : Responsibly, but with no illusions.

Luxembourg, January 22th 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1461 :

- p. 1 C.E.T. : Six look at French suggestion on tariff concessions to USSR.
- pp 1/2 <u>Coming Councils session</u>: agenda includes African association and relations with third countries.
- p. 2 <u>Finance Ministers</u>: unofficial meeting in Baden-Baden at the end of the month.
   <u>UK-EEC</u> negotiations: meeting "à Six" (with an empty chair) on Hong Kong.
- p. 3 <u>Coming Council session on agriculture</u> : common price policy.
   Development Fund : parliamentary question.
- pp 4/5 Equal pay : situation in Community countries.
- p. 5 Patent licence agreements : an EEC Commission reply. - <u>EIB</u> : a new Director.
- p. 6 Checking foreign investment : French move likely.
  - UK-EEC negotiations : Christian TUs make statement.
  - Turnover tax in UK : corrigendum.
  - Farm price trends : an EEC Commission publication.
  - Shell egg imports : France empowered to lower levy.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2821 :

p. 1 - <u>Steel prices</u> : changes in Italian schedules. - Coal marketing : diminished outlets in 1963.

pp 1/2 - E.P. Internal Market Committee : meets H.A. on rules of competition in coal/sector.

- p. 2 <u>UK-ECSC negotiations</u> : British accept Six's position on steel.
- p. 3 Steel firms : list in order of importance.

.... and in the Joint Supplement

- Court of Justice : successor to Mr. Riese to be appointed on Thursday.
- UK-EEC negotiations : a compromise proposal?
- Franco-German cooperation agreement signed.

\* See over : Every action provokes a reaction.

#### Luxembourg, 23th January 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1462 :

- p. 1 <u>Council of Ministers</u> : the problem of Spain and Isreal will not be broached for the moment.
- pp 1/6 E.E.C.-U.K. negotiations : developments with regard to the Adenauer Plan.
- p. 1 "Eurosyndicat" Stock Exchange Index : 141.60 (+0.55%).
- p. 2 <u>Liberation of capital</u>: the Monetary Committee is to examine the situation next Monday.
  - Indirect taxes on capital movements : suggestions for harmonisation put forward by the European Commission.
  - Equal pay : the studies and enquiries being conducted by the European Commission.
- pp 2/3 Import tax on Italian regrigerators : hostile reaction in Italian circles.
- p. 3 <u>E.E.C.-Latin America financial cooperation</u> : technical studies have already been. started.
  - Grain husk levy : the European Commission proposes to claculate it in a different way.
  - European Development Fund : some recent activities.
- p. 4 <u>E.E.C-A.O.S. Association</u>: the new Convention welcomed by the members of the European Parliament.

- <u>Common Transport policy</u> : the Ministers are to decide on the measures to be taken next Friday.

- p. 5 Airunion : K.L.M. hopes to join in the negotiations.
  - Euratom-U.K. negotiations : meeting between the Deputies of the Five and the U.K.
  - Enlargement of the Community : the examination of the institutional problems has been put off.
  - European Parliament : adoption in committee of the Troclet Report on the European Social Charter.
- p. 5/6 "Kennedy" negotiations : Mr. Herter arrives in Brussels for discussions with the European Commission.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2822 :
- pp 1/2 Scrap : COCOR discusses the liberation of exports to third countries.
- p. 2 Steel prices : some new reductions.
- pp 2/3 E.C.S.C.-U.K. negotiations : the Franch position with regard to the problem of the National Coal Board.

\* See over : Brussels bypassed?

Luxembourg, 24th January 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1463 :

- pp 1/2 Council of Ministers : a series of procedural decisions.
- p. 2 <u>Court of Justice</u>: Mr. Walter Strauss succeeds Mr. Otto Riese.
   <u>E.E.C.-U.K. negotiations</u>: the European Commission will interpret any mandate that it is given as widely as possible.
- p. 3 The state of the Negotiations : I the problems that have been solved.
   Kenya, Tangaryka and Uganda are seeking a commercial agreement with the E.E.C.
- p. 4 Programme of Action for transport : the Council is to settle the various outstanding matters tomorrow.
  - E.E.C.-Peru: new head of the Peruvian Mission appointed.
  - O.E.C.D. : the Consortium for Aid to Greece has a new president.
- p. 5 <u>Social security of foreign workers</u> : replies by the Executive to written questions No. 85 and 88 by Mr. Troclet.
- p. 6 <u>E.E.C.-F.A.O.</u>: the Commission proposes a financial contribution from the Community to the campaign against foot and mouth disease. <u>Nuclear third party insurance</u> : the draft supplementary convention will be drawn up very shortly.

- E.E.C.-Dependent Territories : written question No. 155 de M. Carcassonne.

p. 7 - Chicken imports into the E.E.C. : joint U.S.-Commission studies.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2823 :

- p. 1 <u>Closures</u>: the H.A.'s contribution to the retraining of miners. - Coal: sales by alignment during the year 1961-1962.
  - American scrap : the composite-price remains at 27.17 dollars.
- p. 2 Towards a "patriotic energy policy"?
  - Court of Justice : Mr. Walter Strauss succeeds Mr. Otto Riese.
  - Belgian coal problem : still no decision.
- p. 3 <u>Partial unemployment in French iron mines</u> : written question No, 152 by Mr. Troclet.
  - E.C.S.C.-U.K. negotiations : the British position with regard to the National Coal Board.
    - \* See over : The German role.

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Luxembourg , 25th January 1963

\* Il to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1464 :

- p. 1 <u>Council of Ministers of Finance</u> : the problem of American investments.
  - <u>Italian fridges imported into France</u> : Italian appeal against the Commission decision to authorise a compensatory tax.
  - German import tax : written question No. 154 by Mr. Vanrullen.
- pp 1/5 <u>Common Transport policy</u> : no progress in the Council of Ministers.
- p. 2 <u>Constituents of margarine</u>: the Commission's reply to question No. 97 by Mr. Charpentier.
  - Euratom Supply Agency : list of members of the Consultative Committee.
- p. 3 Target price criteria : the Special Agricultural Committee examines the proposals of the Commission.
  - <u>Common agricultural policy</u>: the U.S. and Argentina are to propose a conference of third countries exporting agricultural produce to the E.E.C.
- p. 4 <u>Council of Ministers</u> : the agenda for the "agricultural" session next Monday. - <u>Liberation of capital movements</u> : the second directive is published in the Official Gazette.
- pp 4/5 <u>Agricultural imports from state-trading countries</u> : the contents of the regulation adopted by the Council.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2824 :
- p. 1 <u>E.C.S.C.-U.K. negotiations</u>: the French position with regard to the problem of the National Coal Board's integration into the Common Market.
- pp 1/2 Pig iron : market developments in 1962.
- p. 2 British coal : increased imports by the countries of the Community.
   Parliamentary question Nos 129 and 148 : replies by the H.A.
- pp 2/3 <u>Council of Ministers</u>: the agenda for the meeting on February 4th. Principal item - continuation of the debate on energy policy.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- The Community and Great Britain : increasingly strained situation as January 28th approaches.

\* See over : An American threat to Europe?

#### Luxembourg, 26th January 1963

\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1465 :

- p. 1 <u>Tariff reductions in favour of the USSR</u> : the other five are very doubtful about the French suggestions.
  - <u>Community</u> Great Britain : Monday will see the negotiations either suspended or kept alive.
- p. 2/3 State of the E.E.C.-U.K. negotiations : II the problems which remain to be solved.
- p. 3 Euratom : the development of the power reactor programme.
- p. 4 European Development Fund : the sum total of the commitments undertaken in favour of the A.O.S.
  - Trade Expansion Act : Commission Herter colloquium in preparation for the "Kennedy" negotiations.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C.Bulletin No. 2825 :
- p. 1 <u>National Coal Board</u>: the British position with regard to the French doubts on the possibility of integrating the NCB into the Common Market.
- p. 1/2 <u>Council of Ministers</u> : the 4th February session will also discuss the problem of steel imports at abnormally low prices.
- p. 2 Belgian coal problem : Mr. Spinoy is to meet with the H.A. on February 4th.
   French coal imports : the A.T.I.C. sells imported coal special rates fixed by the administration.
  - Investment declarations : spectacular decline during 1962.

.. and in the Joint Supplement :

- Franco-German Treaty : the provisions likely to affect the relations between the two countries and the rest of the Community.

\* The week in Europe.

### Luxembourg, 28th January 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1466 :

- pp 1/6 Community-Great Britain Conference : desparate search for a compromise solution that will enable the negotiations to go on.
- p. 2 "Agricultural" session of the Council : very general exchange of views on the criteria for fixing target prices.
- p. 3 Notification of trade agreements : first analysis by category, sector, and type.
- pp 3/4 Exclusive agent contracts : the Commission's reply to written question No.95 by Mr. Deringer.
- p. 4 Morality of Commission civil servants : the Commission's reply to written question No. 128 by Mr. Vanrullen.
- p. 5 Organisation of the pork market : a special supply price to be fixed for slaughtered or live sows.
  - European Development Fund : the Fund is to finance the drawing up of a plan for the economic recovery of the Belgian Congo.
  - Lead and zinc : the European Commission is against the German plan for a national perequation fund.
  - <u>Italian aviation</u>: civil aviation is to come under the controle of the Ministry of Transport.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2826 :
- p. 1 <u>General Objectives for Coal</u>: the H.A. is to begin work shortly in company with experts and the parties concerned.
  - "Permanent General Objectives" : the problem of the growing gap between the growth of industrial production and that of the demand for steel under study.
     Ruhr common selling agency : the H.A. discusses with Mr. Etzel the conditions

in which authorisation might be possible.

- pp 2/3 Scrap perequation : the legal arguments put forward by the Aciéries du Temple in its suit against the H.A.
- p. 3 Energy : the ratio energy costs to total costs for certain products.

\* See over : A policy doomed to failure.

Luxembourg, 29th January 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1467 :

- p. 1 <u>Euratom</u>: France suggests to the Commission setting up a school for nuclear specialists near Saclay.
  - pp 1/5 Deadlock at Brussels : the Five delegations rally to the proposals put forward by the Germany but considered unacceptable by the French.
  - pp 2/3 Wages policy : the opinion of the Business Cycle Policy Committee.
  - p. 3 Economic and Social Committee : the Bureau is to be received by the General de Gaulle.
    - <u>Recognition of judicial decisions</u> : a working party is to begin elaborating a draft convention.
    - <u>Notification of bilateral agreements</u> : the French Chambers of Commerce have run out of forms.
    - <u>River frontiers</u> : improvement in conditions of crossing between France and Belgium.
- p. 4 <u>E.E.C.-Africa</u>: Prof. Walter Hallstein is to receive the President of Dahomey and Niger tomorrow.
  - Organisation of the grain market : publication in the Official Gazette of some decisions applying Regulation No. 19.
- pp 4/5 Organisation of the dairy produce market : the national experts calculate the cost of a policy of extensice intervention.
- p. 5 <u>Transport</u>: the European Commission authorises Germany to maintain certain special rates.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2827 :
- p. 1 Scrap : prices are becoming firmer on Community markets.
  - E.C.S.C.-U.K. negotiations : the deputies of the Five continue their work on the National Coal Board.
  - <u>Ruhr common sales organisation</u> : the Ruhr will not abandon its stand with regard to the two state-owned mines.
- pp 2/3 Specific energy needs in 1970/75 : energy consumption in the steel industry.
  - \* See over :Regaining the political initiative.

### Luxembourg, January 30th 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1468 :

- p. 1 <u>Ministers of Finance</u>: the meeting for the end of the month is cancelled.
   E.E.C.-Denmark : all negotiations are suspended.
- pp 1-5 Interruption of the negotiations with Great-Britain: each government takes clear its position. Immediate meeting between the "New Six".
- p. 1 "Eurosyndicat" Stock Exchange Index : 142.74 (+0.61%).
- p. 5 Fiscal and Financial Committee : the Neumark report is now ready.
   Special Agricultural Committee : meeting this week in Berlin to discuss the common market organisations to be set up.
- pp 6/7 Economic and Social Committee : the programme for the present plenary session. The freeing of services with regard to films.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C Bulletin No. 2828 :
- o. 1 <u>Steel industry</u>: the cold weather has produced a slow down in activity.
   <u>Ministerial meetings</u>: both the session with the English and the Council planned for next week will be postponed.
- p. 2 <u>Ruhr Coal</u> : seasonal difficulties. - German steel industry : coal consumption.
- p. 2/3 European Parliament : the Philipp report on the gas industry.
- p. 3 Saar coal industry : the record for 1962.

\* See over : <u>Setting things in their true context</u> : the political future of Europe.

### Luxembourg, January 31st 1963

• In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1469 :

- pp 1/2 The European crisis: Mr. Schaus' proposal to continue the dialogue within W.E.U. Other reactions.
- P. 2 <u>E.E.C.-Greece</u>: the "Committee of Association" is to meet tomorrow. - <u>Nuclear party insurance</u>: eight countries have signed the supplementary Convention to the Convention of Paris.
- P. 3 "Kennedy" negotiations : if the Community remains limited to the Six the "80% clause" will not mean very much.
  - Anglo-Italian cooperation in the nuclear and energy fields?
- P. 4 <u>Standard European boats</u> : the first detailed plans will be ready by May.
   <u>E.E.C.-Greece</u> : its affects on the Greek merchant navy.
- PP 4/5 Fiscal harmonisation : the principal conclusions of the Neumark Report.
- P. 5 European Development Fund : recent activities.
  - Agricultural imports from the East : regulation published in the Official Gazette
  - Agricultural Consultative Committees : the list of members published in the Official Gazette.
- p. 6 Import taxes on the Italian fridges : written question No. 155 by Mr. Ferretti.
  - Chicken imports levy : a slight reduction has been decided on.
  - Liberation of capital movements : Italy frees transactions involving foreign stocks and bonds.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2829 :

p. 1 - Steel price movements in Italy : export price continue to fall.

- Composite price of American scrap : 27,83 dollar.

- pp 1/2 Ruhr selling organs : the H. A. decides to authorise under certain conditions.
- p. 3 Readaptation aid :a new H. A. decision.
  - German scrap market : Abolition of the compensatory tax.
  - Negotiations with Britain : the H.A.'s regret at the rupture.
  - Ruhr selling organs : satisfaction in the Ruhr with the H.A. decision.

• See over : The truth, but all when it is unpalatable.

Luxembourg, February 1st, 1963

\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1470 :

- p. 1 <u>Declaration by Mr. Hallstein</u>: the Commission will take account of the British position in drawing up common policies.
- pp 2-4 The future of the Community : the action to be taken by the Community in the near future, the achievement of which will require political agreement.
- p. 4 <u>Monetary Committee</u> : the French ask for the figures for foreign investment to be broken down according to their country of origin.
- pp 4/5 <u>Economic and Social Committee</u>: their position with regard to the problem of British accession.
- p. 5 <u>Council of Ministers</u> : no Dutch representatives will be present at the February meeting.
- pp 5/6 Declaration by Mr. Mansholt : the harmful consequences of the political split within the Community.
- p. 6 <u>After Brussels</u> : call for moderation from Luxembourg; and other reactions. - <u>Sowing machines</u> : an Indian memorandum has just been put before the Council by the Commission.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2830 :
- p. 1 Steel prices : alternations in schedules.
  - <u>High Authority</u>: Mr. Jean Denize appointed Director-General of the Department of Energy and the Economy.
  - Community coal industry : the state of the rationalisation programme.
- p. 2 <u>Council of Ministers</u>: the technical Committees continue working.
   <u>French coal market</u>: coke imported from other member countries will be sold at the "cession price".
- p.3 Energy prospects : the impact of future fuel imports on the balance of payments.
   Scrap : fall in consumption and in exports in Germany.
  - \* See over : Loser takes all.
  - \* EUROPE/Documents Nr. 185 : The Neumark Report on fiscal and financial harmonisation in the Common Market (official summary)

#### Luxembourg, February 2nd, 1963

• In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin N°. 1471 :

- p. 1 <u>Councils of Ministers</u> : the meeting with Portugal (EEC) and Denmark (Euratom) have been cancelled.
  - European Parliament : the political groups are preparing for Monday's debate on relation with the U.K.
- pp 1/2 Economic and Social Committee : the contents of its opinions on the right of establishment and social question.
  - <u>Nuclear third party insurance</u> : the supplementary convention covers risks up to 120 million dollars.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin N°. 2831 :

- p. 1 Steel industry : developments in Germany.
  - Consultative Committee : Mr. Kegel received by the High Authority.
- pp 1/2 Court of Justice : Mr. Walter Strauss takes up his functions.
- p. 2 United States : problems of energy policy.
  - The H.A. M. Spinoy meeting has been postponed.
  - Energy : the consomption per head in the countries of the Community.

The Week in Europe.

EUROPE/Documents N° 179 : THE PROBLEMS IN THE EUROPEAN MOTOR CAR INDUSTRY AT THE BEGINNING OF 1963

\* EUROPE/Documents N\* 180 : THE COMMUNITY'S ACHIEVEMENTS IN 1962

#### Luxembourg, February 4th 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1472 :

- pp 1/2 <u>Plenary session of the European Parliament</u> : Mr. Marjolin's speech on the state of the economy.
- p. 2 British position : should association be considered?
   Regulation of the fruit and vegetable market : provisional reply by the Executive to question No. 127 by Mr. Müller Hermann.
  - Councils of Ministers : the February meetings have been confirmed.
- p. 3 European Parliament : the Blaisse report insists that the negotiations were close to success.
- p. 4 -"<u>Trade Expansion Act</u>" : the American position with regard to the character and nature of the negotiations. to come.
  - Manioc imports from the A.O.S. : prorogation of the exemption from the levy.
  - <u>Consultation with the British government</u> : the Commission's reply to question No. 132 by Mr. Vredeling.
  - -.O.E.C.D. : Denmark becomes a member of the Committee for Aid to Development.
- p. 5 Interpenetration.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2832 :

## \*pp 1/2 - Coal : retail price developments.

- p. 2 <u>Workers' housing in Italy</u>: the H.A.'s reply to question No. 140 by Mr. Pedini.
  - Open market for Energy : the attitude of the coal producers.

.... and in the Common Supplement :

- Plenary session of the European Parliament : a political debate on the negotiations with the U.K. will be held to-morrow.
  - \* See over : Alternative solutions

# No. 590 Luxembourg, 5th February 1963

\*In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No.1473

- p. 1/2 British accession: a summary of the state of the negotiations made on the eve of the suspension.
- p. 2/4 <u>Rice, dairy products, and beef</u>: the national experts continue their study of the Commission's proposals.
- p. 3/4 European Parliament : the report to be debated on Wednesday.

\*In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2833 :

- p. 1 <u>Coal market</u>: cif prices for imported coal went down in 1962.
   Scrap: fall off in demand under the influence of the prolonged cold spell.
- p. 2 <u>Oil tax</u> : to be continued in Germany.
  - Steel prices : modification in schedules.
  - High Authority : a report on its internal organisation.
  - Steel prices : reduction in scheduled prices by Italian firms.

.... and in the Joint Supplement:

- European Parliament : a full-scale debate on the negotiations with Great-Britain and the political problems raised by recent events. An objective report from Prof. Hallstein. Statements by MM Luns, Malvestiti and Sassen.

\* See over : A European plan, presented to a European Parliament.

### Luxembourg, 6th February 1963

\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1474 :

- p. 1 <u>Interpretation of article 12</u> (customs stand-still) : the Court of Justice gives its jugement in the case 26/62.
  - "Eurosyndicat" Stock Exchange Index : 141,18 (-1.09%).
- p. 2 <u>European Parliament</u>: the contents of the Illerhaus report (freedom of establishment for the wholesale trade, etc.).
  - European Parliament : the contents of the Leemans report (freeing of services in the film sector).
  - <u>Chicken imports</u> : publication in the Official Gazette of a new Regulation reducing the levy.
- p. 3 <u>European Parliament</u>: the contents of the Kreyssig report (right of movement and residence within the E.E.C.).
  - Import prohibitions into Senegal : written question No. 156 by Mr. Margulies.
  - Railway harbour rates : written question No. 157 by Mr. Kalbitzer.
  - Court of Justice : Mr. Walter Strauss succeeds Mr. Otto Riese.
- p. 4 <u>Consultative Committee on Nuclear Research</u> : the problem of plutonium supplies discussed.
  - <u>Compensatory taxes</u> : Germany authorised to increase the amount of the tax levied on bread imported from the Netherlands.
  - Manioc imports : the Commission proposes to reduce the amount of the levy.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2834 :

p. 1 - Coal exports : considerable increase in 1962.

pp 1/2 - E.C.S.C.-U.K. : Mr. Malvestiti sums up the state of the negotiations.

- p. 2 <u>Court of Justice</u> : nine Italian steel firms ask the annulment of the fines imposed on them by the H.A.
  - Court of Justice : Mr. Walter Strauss succeeds Mr. Otto Riese.
  - <u>H.A. aids</u> : the H.A. has contributed to the financing of industrial projects worth about 1 billion dollars.

... and in the Joint Supplement :

- The European Parliament calls on the Commission to draw up a report on the negotiations with Great Britain and on possible solutions to the various problems.
  - \* See over : What sort of revival.
  - \* "EUROPE" Brief Notes : ITALY

Luxembourg, 7th February 1963

\* In todays COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1475 :

- pp 1/6 <u>Plenary session of the European Parliament</u>: budgetary, transport and social problems.
- p. 2 E.F.T.A. : at their next meeting the Ministers will discuss the consequences of the rupture at Brussels.

- E.D.F. and the former Belgian Congo : written question No. 161 by Sig Pedini.

- E.D.F. : recent activities.
  - E.D.F. investments in New Guinea : written question No. 158 by Sig Pedini.
  - Soft wheat : decision fixing the franco-frontier price published in the Official Gazette.
  - <u>Calculation of the grain levy</u> : Council regulation published in the Official Gazette.
- The standing orders of the Commission just published in the Official Gazette.
- p. 4 Forecast economic budgets : the time limits were not respected.
   Nuclear energy : the developing countries should already be exploiting it.
  - Translation of documents into English : written question No. 160.
- p. 5 <u>Private and state-owned industry</u> : a colloquium is to be held in Brussels shortly on the problem of fair competition.
  - Organisation of the rice market : written question No. 162.
  - O.E.C.D. : the Aid for Greece Consortium starts up again.
  - Community G.B. relations : reactions and meetings.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2835 :

# pp 1/2 - Steel market : the Government experts are examining the effects of cheap imports

- p. 1 American scrap : the composite-price rises to 28,17 dollars.
  - Coal : developments with regard to imports from the East.
    - Steel prices : reductions in the Dutch steel industry.
    - <u>Pig iron</u>: noticeable fall in the production of special and alloyed pig iron during 1962.

### p. 3 - Steel industry : sharp fall in the number of investment declarations.

\* See over : The best of Parliaments can only do its best.

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Luxembourg, Ch February 1963

\* In todays COMMON MARKET/BURATOM Pulletin No.1476:

- pp 1/2 European Parliament end of session : the resolution on the criteria to be used in fixing agricultural target prices unanimously adopted.
- p. 2 Brussels orisis : the Christian Democratic Parties of the Community seek a solution.
- p. 3 E.E.C.-Commonwealth relations : the question of trading relations has still to be solved.
- p. 4 <u>Preparations for the "Kennedy" negotiations</u> : the European Commission is making enquiries in various sectors of industry.
  - World Trade and Development Conference : the problems of organisation and procedure.
- p. 5 <u>Validity of the Financial Regulation</u> : the Executive's reply to question No.131 from Mr. Vredeling.
  - <u>Restrictions of apple imports</u> : the Executive's reply to question No. 133 from Mr. Vredeling.
- p. 6 <u>E.E.C.-G.B.</u> relations : the British Government is to adopt a "wait and see" attitude.
  - Russian oil : Britain could be going to import Soviet oil for the first time.
  - A European Center for Research on Contracts has just been set up.
  - French harbours are to be given state aid to make them competitive.
  - Enriched uranium has been transported to the Garigliano power station by plane.

\* The E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2836 :

- pp 1/3 <u>Domestic coal</u>: the position of the H.A. with regard to current difficulties in supply.
- p. 3 Steel industry : production possibilities for 1965.
  - \* See over : While the Common Market marks time, COMECON strips for action.

Luxembourg, 9th February 1963

\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1477 :

- p. 1 <u>Competition</u>: over 30,000 bilateral agreements registered with the EEC Commission . - <u>EEC-Isreal</u>: EEC Commission proposals for a trade agreement - Council discussion on February 26
- pp 1/2 French export rebates for poultry : EEC Commission asks the reasons (reply to Mr. Vredeling).
- p. 2 Andorra, San Marino, Monaco : EEC Commission studies the social security position of their migrant workers in EEC (reply to Mr. Troclet).
  - Italian workers in Belgium : family allowances for children in Italy (reply to Mr. Troclet).
- p. 3 <u>Margarine</u>: EEC Commission unable to discover production costs in member countries (reply to M. Dulin)
  - <u>Sole agent contracts (Grundig v. Carsten</u>): Paris Appeals Court awaits prejudicial ruling by EEC Commission.
  - Pipe-lines and transport policy : UNICE note to EEC Commission.
  - Aid to shipyards : Commission calls on France and Italy to end certain forms of discrimination.
  - Astronomical research : a new European organisation.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2837 :

- p. 1 January steel output slightly above monthly average for 1962.
  - Coal estimates for 1963 : Consultative Committee perusal on Feb. 28.
- pp 1/2 Transport rates publicity : H.A.'s views on the Italian proposals.
- p. 2 <u>UK-France</u>, <u>UK-Germany</u> : bilateral contacts between steelmen to continue.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- pp 1/2 <u>A new impetus for Europe</u>? Statements by Socialist and Christian-Democrat parties denouncing the Brussels breakdown - a European "summit meeting".
  - \* The Week in Europe.

Luxembourg, February 11th 1963

\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Pulletin No. 1478 :

- p. 1 <u>Community oil stocks</u> : according to the Commission's experts, these could be built up to 4 to 6 months' consumption.
- pp 1/2 <u>Organisation of agricultural markets</u> : the Dutch are expected to insist on decisions being taken with British accession in view.
- p. 3 Community-Great Britain relations : conversations in Rome between Herr Hallstein and Sigg. Fanfani and Colombo.
  - World Trade Conference : the agenda for the next session of the Preparatory Committee has been settled.
- p. 4 <u>Economic situation of the E.E.C.</u>: the Commission's "Quick Notes" reveal a tendency to inflation.
  - Delays in publication in the Gazette : the Commission's reply to written question No. 139
- p. 5 Interpenetration.
- p. 6 European patent law: work has begun again.
  - Community-Great-Britain relations : new moves in Bonn the Common debate.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2838 :

p. 1 - Coal production : large increase in January 1963.

- Steel prices : schedule alternations in the Italian steel industry.
- Belgian coal problem : meeting between the H.A. and M. Spinoy this Tuesday.
- pp 1/2 Rolled steel : appreciable increase in new orders during January.
- p. 2 <u>Council of Ministers</u> : still no date fixed for the next meeting. - <u>Italian steel production</u> : the supposed increase is purely "statistical".
- p. 3 <u>Luxembourg steel industry</u> : the negociations of the new collective contract is still going on.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- <u>Common policy for gas</u> : according to the European Parliament, the key is the construction of a system of interconnected pipelines.
  - \* See over : <u>Will the Europe the Christian-Democrates wish to revive</u> turn out to be Socialist?

Luxembourg, February 12th, 1963

\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1479 :

- p. 1 <u>Lead and zinc</u>: Germany has asked the Commission for permission to apply the escape clause.
  - Car industry : the Liaison Committee is to meet in Brussels.
  - G.A.T.T. : towards a new round of tariff negotiations.
  - 2 O.E.C.D. : a working party is to study the development of non-wage incomes.
- pp 2/3 "Transport on one's own account" : the Commission would seem to have given up hope of finding a new definition.
- p. 3 <u>Special Agricultural Committee</u> : preparing for the next "agricultural" session of the Council of Ministers.
  - A.O.S. imports : a new statistical publication.
- p. 4 <u>Germany economy</u> : according to the O.E.C.D. experts, what is needed is an incomes policy.
  - Mr. Bauer is to leave Euratom.
- p. 5 <u>Import quotas</u> : member states will be obliged to free imports of various agricultural products.
- pp 5/6 <u>Harmonisation of sanitary legislation</u>: the legal difference between Germany and the Commission remains undiminished.
- p. 6 <u>Agricultural Guarantee and Guidance Fund</u> : the Commission will shortly submit new texts to the Council.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2839 :

- p. 1 Scrap : the governmental experts come out in favour of freeing exports.
- pp 1/2 Domestic coal : the French Government is to set up a temporary system for the delivery of essential supplies.
- p. 2 <u>Mergers</u>: the H.A. is to discuss the proposed August Thyssen Hütte Phoenix Rheinrohr merger.
  - <u>Safety precautions</u> : the wider publication of the result of Community research is called for.
  - A Conference on Community law is to be held in Cologne next April.
- p. 3 Closures : the Renn "Rhein-Ruhr" factory threatened.
  - British srap : exports have been freed indefinitely.
    - <u>German steel industry</u> : Ruhr firms have been variously affected by the fall in production.

\* See over : Realpolitik.

Luxembourg, February 13th 1963

\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1480 :

- p. 1 American investments in Europe : written question No. 171 from M. Pleven.
- pp 1/2 <u>Community-Great-Britain relations</u>: Mr. Heath expounds to the House of Commons the three essential conditions to be filled by any alternative solution.
- p. 1 "Eurosyndicat" Stock Exchange Index : 138.32 (-2.02%).
- p. 2 <u>Community-G.B. relations</u> : the search for a solution continues a Belgo-Dutch note is in the offing.
  - <u>G.A.T.T.</u>: the Six are to propose that the ministerial meeting to prepare for the tariff negotiations be held on May 28th.
  - Exploration of space : Euratom may participate in a programme of research.
- p. 3 <u>E.E.C.-Algeria relations</u>: the Commission is in favour of giving a positive reply to Mr Ben Bella's letter.
  - <u>Signature of the new Association Convention</u> : an African request for the formalities to be speeded up.
- p. 4 <u>Management Committees</u> : the Commission's reply to written question No. 135 by Mr Vredeling.
  - Italian refrigerators : written question No. 166 by Mr Sabatini.
  - European Development Fund : recent activities.
- pp 5/6 European Social Fund : to have a more important role in the future?
- p. 6 Cost of the E.E.C.-U.K. Conference : written question No. 169 by M. Vals.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2840 :

- p. 1 Losses incurred by the Charbonnages de France : written question No. 170 by Mr Nederhorst.
  - Steel prices : reductions recorded in the Italian steel industry.
  - Occupational medicine centres visited.
- pp 1/2 Sorap: clarifications with regard to the freeing of exports.
- p. 2 Belgian coal problem : no decision is expected in the immediate future.
  - <u>Luxembourg steel industry</u> : the Trade Unions have rejected zhe Employers' lastest proposals.
  - Dunkerque : the first furnace is now in operation.
- p. 3 Coal industry : evolution of the various elements of production costs.

\* See over : After the Commons debate : the search for a formula.

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Luxembourg, February 14th 1963

\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1481 :

- p. 1 <u>Community Great-Britain relations</u> : the Commission may have its report on the negotiations ready by the end of the month the Belgo-Dutch note has been drawn up.
- p. 2 Europe's problems : the next Round Table will be held in May.
  - Lead and zinc: the European Commission is to propose an "emergency programme".
  - <u>Special Agricultural Committee</u> : -still no progress in the organisation of the rice market.
- p. 3 <u>Car industry</u> : the Liaison Committee for the industry has formulated certain reserves on the conclusions contained in the Commission's study.
  - Egg imports : Italy is authorised to reduce provisionally the amount of the levy.
  - E.E.C.-Iran relations: the national experts have been examining the contents of the proposed commercial agreement.
- p. 4 Nuclear insurance : the problem raised by the Ispra I reactor.
  - <u>Power reactors</u> : the national experts have their reserves with regard to an eventual Community participation in the S.E.P. project.
- p. 5 <u>Regional policy</u>: the composition and tasks of the three working parties set up by the European Commission.
- p. 6 European Development Fund : the remaining funds will soon be exhausted.
  - Trade in industrial goods : according to the O.E.C.D. experts, considerable progress has been made in the abolition of restrictions.
  - Icelandic economy : the chief aim of policy should be the maintenance of economic stability.
  - O.E.C.D. : Mr. Von Mangoldt elected Chariman of the Turkish Consortium.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2841 :

- p. 1 Mergers : first exchange of views on the Thyssen Phoenix Rheinrohr project.
  - American scrap : the composite-price remains at 28.17 dollars.
  - Court of Justice : new suit brought against the H.A. for inaction.
    - Ruhr coal industry : obstacles in the way of the final authorisation of the two sales organisations.
    - <u>Domestic coke imports into France</u> : the H.A. accepts the French decision to sell at the "prix de cession" as an emergency measure.
    - E.C.S.C-Greece relations : Greek moves with a view to association.
- p. 3 <u>Steel industry</u>: spectacular increase in the figures for investment per ton of output in certain sectors.

\* See over : A common market's tenth birthday.

Luxembourg, February 15th 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1482 :

- p. 1 <u>Community-Great-Britain relations</u>: the German members of the European Executives discuss the situation with members of the Federal Government.
   - Industrial reconversion: the first intervention by the B.E.I. in this field.
- pp 1/2 Processed grain products : the Commission proposed to modify the present levy system.
- p. 2 Hatching eggs : the introduction of date-stamping will have to be delayed.
- pp 2/3 Euratom-U.S. common programme : a nuclear power station to be built equipped with a boiling water reactor.
- p. 3 Euratom-Argentine : visit of the Chairman of the Argentine Nuclear Energy Commission.
  - <u>E.E.C.-Turkey</u> : the Council is to continue its examination of the problems involved in any association agreement.
- p. 4 <u>Agricultural Funds</u> : possibility of a decisive improvement of agricultural structures.
  - State aids : construction of fishermen's villages in Sardinia.
  - Value-added tax in the U.K. : the position of the N.A.B.M..
- p. 5 <u>E.E.C.-Greece Association</u> : the efforts of the Greek Government with a view to developping the economy.
  - <u>Community-Great Britain relations</u> : informal contacts between Belgian and British civil servants.
  - C.A.D. : Mr. Willard L. Thorp elected chairman.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2842 :
- p. 1 Coal : the supply situation in the Community.
  - Maritime transport : the H.A. has concluded as to the applicability of article 70.
- pp 1/3 <u>Common market in coal</u> : the E.C.S.C. celebrates the tenth anniversary of its introduction.
  - \* See over : Prior conditions.

Luxembourg, February 16th 1963

° In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1483

- p. 1 <u>Next session of the Council</u>: the Netherlands may start a debate on the rupture of the Brussels negotiations.
  - <u>Car industry</u> : the Liaison Committee for the industry emphasises its reserves for expansion.
- p. 2 Preserving agents in foodstuffs : a draft directive from the Commission.
- pp 2/3 Next "agricultural" session of the Council : not much progress is expected.
- P. 3 <u>EFTA-Council</u>: the strengthening of the Association will be discussed at Geneva at the beginning of next week.
  - <u>Automation in the field of administration</u> : a seminar has been organised by the Executives of the Community.
  - Metallurgical unions : to organise themselves on the Community level.
  - Import tax on Italian refrigerators; the Commission's decision published in the Official Gazette.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2843 :

- p. 1 Ruhr sales organisations : written question No. 172 Mr. Kapteyn.
- p. 2 Iron wire : production capacity increased in every country of the Community.
  - Steel processes : a publication by the United Nations Commission for Europe.
  - <u>Belgian coal industry</u> : the affect of closures on the production of domestic coal.
  - <u>Foreign workers</u> : a tenth of the labour force employed by the industries of the E.C.S.C.

• The Week in Europe.

# Luxembourg, 18th February 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1481

- p. 1 <u>Lead and zinc</u> : Italy authorised to apply the intra-Community tariff reductions partially.
- pp 1/6 E.F.T.A.: a new set of tariff reductions is planned between the Seven.
- pp 2/3 Organisation of the beef market : latest developments and the various national positions.
- p. 4 European Bank : four new loans for Southern Italy have been agreed on and five more have just been made.
  - Italian beef imports : reply to written question No. 142 by Mr. Vredeling.
- p. 5 European Parliament : the political commission is to discuss the conseguences of Brussels on the Community's external relations.
  - Free movement of workers : professional monographs to be established for the building industry.
  - <u>Towards British association</u> : conflicting attitudes on the part of the British Government and the F.B.I.
  - A Swiss European information service.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2844 :
- p. 1 <u>Alignements on third country prices</u> : the volume has gone right down in certain sectors following the H.A.'s communications.
  - <u>Coal situation</u> : certain sectors of industry are now having difficulties in obtaining supplies.
  - Sorap statistical nomenclature : the H.A. is consulting the retail trade.
- p. 2 <u>Readaptation and reconversion</u> of the Boucau works (Bayonne).
  - Turnings: prices are becoming firmer again.
    - \* See over : Looking back.

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1485

- p. 1 The Community : Professor Hallstein to visit the Hague on Thursday.
  - <u>Socialist attitude to European integration</u> : the Socialist Parties of 13 European countries are to meet in Brussels at the week-end.
  - Institutions of the Community : the Committee of Permanent Representatives is to continue working at the problem.
- p. 2 <u>E.F.T.A. Ministerial meeting</u>: the final abolition of customs duties is planned for 1966.
- pp 2/6 "Agricultural" session of the Council : the presence of the Dutch Minister alters the prospects for the meeting.
- pp 3/4 <u>Common policy on technical training</u> : the Council will try and establish the "general principles" next Thrusday.
- p. 5 <u>Preserving agents in foodstuffs</u>: the contents of the Commission's proposals for the harmonisation of national legislation.
  - <u>Compensatory taxes</u> : authorisation extended for Germany and France to apply to certain types of confectionery.
- p. 6 <u>0.E.C.D.-Turkey</u> : the Turkish Consortium is to examine the ways and means of expanding its development aid.
  - Parliamentary Committee for Agriculture : the agenda for the next meeting.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2845 :

- p. 1 Coal forecasts : the coal producers accuse the H.A. of "defeatism".
- p. 2 European Parliament : the Internal Market Committee plans to hold a discussion on dumping policy.
  - Parliamentary Energy Committee : the next meeting will be held in Berlin.
- pp 2/3 Transport rate publicity : the H.A.'s discussions with the Governments continue.
  - European information services in Switzerland.
  - Energy policy : the H.A. goes back to work.
  - Blast furnaces : increased use of oil and iron.

\* See over : Independence and the Community.

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Luxembourg, 20th February 1963

\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1486 :

- p. 1 <u>Economic development of Latin America</u> : towards a policy that ecourages European capital investment.
- pp 1/2 "Agricultural" session of the Council : a number of minor regulations settled.
- p. 1 "Eurosyndicat" Stock Exchange Index : 136.67 (-0.84%).
- p. 2 Dutch naural gas : the exploitation licence to be granted soon.
- p. 3 Eggs and poultry meat : C.O.P.A. wants to strengthen the role of the Commission in the management of the lock-gate price system.
- p. 4 Fruit and vegetable market : written question No.173 by Mr. Müller-Hermann.
  - Exclusive agent contracts : the Executive's reply to quest. 71 by Mr. Armengaud.
    - Statistics on Luxembourg: the Executive's reply to quest. 147 by Mr. Fohrmann.
- p. 5 Agricultural structure policies : the Executive's reply to question No. 143 by Mr. Vredeling.
  - <u>Grain transport in Germany</u>: the Executive's reply to question No. 144 by Mr. Vredeling.
  - Dutch potato exports : the Executive's reply to question No.145 by Mr. Vredeling.
    - European Monetary agreement : the O.E.C.D. Council approves two decisions.
  - Danish economy : according to the O.E.C.D. experts, domestic demand must be kept within the limits dictated by the balance of payments.
  - <u>State aids in France</u> : the capital equipment bonus in favour of backward regions is authorised until the end of the year.
  - The Uri and Neumark reports are on sale.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2846 :
- p. 1 <u>Special Council of Ministers</u> : still no decision as to the date of the next meeting.
- pp l/2 Steel : is the level of imports threatening the industry of the Community.
- p. 2 Belgian coal : the improvement in the situation since 1958.
  - Technical research : the H.A. consults the representatives of the steel industry.

.., and in the Joint Supplement :

- <u>Community</u> <u>Great Britain relations</u> : Prof Hallstein has confirmed that the report on the state of play in the Brussels negotiations will be submitted to the European Parliament next week.
- Prof. Hallstein's trip to the Hague has been postponed.
- The Brussels crisis as seen by Mr. George Ball.
- <u>The Franco-German Treaty</u> : according to the German Socialist Party, it should be completed by a declaration of intention.
- <u>Comecon</u> : a common planning body for the Communist countries is planned.
  - \* See over : <u>A misunderstanding carefully cultivated partnership</u>.

\* EUROPE/Documents No. 184 : ECONOMIC PROSPECTS IN THE COMMUNITY FOR 1963 a summary of the EEC Commission's latest quarterly report),

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Luxembourg, 21st February 1963

# \* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1487:

- pp 1/2 "Agricultural" session of the Council : alarming situation with regard to settling the criteria for fixing target prices.
  - 2 EEC-US : Professor Hallstein to visit America shortly.
    - Minister of Finance : the meeting will probably be held on March 21st.
    - Lead and Zinc : Germany authorised to set up a perequation fund.
- pp 3/4 Right of establishment in agriculture : the Council will adopt its first two directives in the matter next Monday.
- p. 4 Dahomey-Niger railway : written question No. 174 by Mr. Pedini.
  - Social security of foreign workers : the Executive's reply to question No. 146 by Mr. Vredeling
    - Essor reactor : notice of calls for tenders for the construction of certain sub-units.
    - Feritliser prices : the ad-hoc study group's report will be ready soon.
  - E.E.C. Japan trading relations : the Commission appeals to the Six's sense of solidarity.
    - Court of Justice : hearings in the combined cases 28, 29, 30/62 (customs standstill).
    - Temporary importing of cars : a Commission recommendation in favour of a common definition of "normal residence".
  - Coming Community meetings : France decides on her attitude.
    - E.E.C.-A.O.S. Association : the problems that have arisen with regard to the signature of the new convention.
    - Vocation training : the Ministers for Social Affairs face up to the problem of a common policy.

\* In the F.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2847 :

- p. 1 E.C.S.C. anniversary : written question No. 175 by Mr. Poher.
  - Special Council of Ministers : the next meeting will probably be held on Merch 21st.
  - Belgian coal industry : wage subsidies authorised.
- pp 1/2 Readaptation aids : H. A. grants in favour of coal and iron miners.
  - 1 American scrap : the composite-price falls to 27.83 dollars per ton.
- p 2 Investment plans : two H.A. opinions.
- pp 2/3 Technical research : large H.A. grants for two projects.
  - Long-term energy forecasts : a study by the coal producers of Western Europe
    - Energy policy : the H.A. is examining a new draft protocol.
      - \* See over : Community independence.
      - \* EUROPE / Notes Rapides : G E R M A N Y

\* EUROPE / Documents No. 186/187 : The Brussels crisis over the Community-United-Kingdom negotiations.

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### Luxembourg, 22nd February 1963

\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1488 :

- p. 1 The slowing down of <u>Community activity</u>.
   Ministers of Finance : the meeting has been put off indefinitely.
- pp 1/2 E.E.C.-A.O.S. : new difficulties with regard to the date of signature of the Association Convention.
- p. 2 Council of Ministers of Euratom : brief meeting scheduled for next Monday.
   Franco-German Treaty : the Bundestag will probably add a special clause safeguard: ing other international commitments.
  - Administrative automation : conclusion of the seminaire organised by the Executives.
  - Business cycle enquiries : Community businessmen still moderately optimistic.
     Petroleum stocks : a sub-group has been set up to study the technical aspects of the Commission report.
- p. 4 <u>Commission's role in the Brussels negotiations</u> : the Executive's reply to question No. 149 by Mr. Vredeling.
  - FEDOM projects in Africa : the Executive's reply to question No. 150 by Mr. Pedini.
- p. 5 <u>Parliamentary Transport Committee</u> : the Rademacher report on the pipeline question approved.
  - Appointments : Mr. Daniel Strasser appointed Director for Internal Affairs.
  - <u>Parliamentary Agricultural Committee</u> : exchange of views with Messrs. Rocherau and Mansholt.
  - Euratom research programme : the Commission has defined the conditions of publication of the information acquired.
- p. 6 <u>Vocation training</u>: yesterday's decision by the Council enable the Community to have a policy.
  - E.E.C.-Greece Association : the text of the agreement has appeared in the Official Gazette.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2848 :
- p. 1 Coal and coke stocks : the situation in the different countries of the Community.
- p. 2 Steel prices : modification in price schedules.
  - Crude iron ore : production figures for January.
  - <u>Community coal industry</u> : unemployment due to lack of sales has completely disappeared.
- p. 3 <u>Apprentices</u> : reduced numbers in the coal mines, increased numbers in the steel industry.
  - Domestic fuel in France : the Government is determined to get prices down.

... and in the Joint Supplement :

- <u>Inland waterway network</u> : the canalisation of the Chiers valley as far as Thionville has been advocated.
  - \* See over : European defence.

Luxembourg, 23rd February 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1489 :

- pp 1/2 E.E.C.-Euratom Councils : no important decisions are to be expected from the coming meetings.
- p. 2 <u>Special transport rates</u> : their maintenance authorised for Schleswig-Holstein. - G.A.T.T. : the ministerial session will be held in Geneva from 16-20th May.
- pp 2/3 Compensatory tax on the turnover tax : written questionNo. 176 by Mr. Müller-Hermann.
- pp 3/5 <u>Turnover taxes</u>: the experts have been studying cases of possible discrimination.
- p. 4 Interpenetration.
- p. 5 Eggs and egg products : the decision authorising Italy to reduce the amount of the levy published in the Official Gazette.
  - European problems and relations with Great Britain.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2849 :
- p. 1 <u>Oven coke</u> : production slightly up in January. - <u>Coal and patent fuels</u> : consumers' stocks have reached the lowest level for years.
- pp 1/2 Steel industry : the evolution of prices during 1962 modified the price relationships between the various rolled products.
- p. 2 Yugoslavia : a new steel works is to be built

\* The Week in Europe.

<u>NOTICE</u> : Next Monday being a public holiday in Luxembourg, the bulletins will not be appearing.

# Luxembourg, 26th February 1963

\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1490 :

- p. 1 Brussels crisis : the Commission has finished drawing up its report.
- ppl/2/6/7 Council of Ministers : the Italian Government explains the political and constitutional reasons which prevent it from fixing a date for the signature of Association Convention - reactions of the other Governments. Other points at issue.
- pp 2/7 <u>Signature of the Association Convention</u> : Mr. Adoula's message on the position of the African states.
- pp 3/4 Lead and zinc: the Commission puts forward an emergency programme.
- p. 4 <u>Biratom Council of Ministers</u> : attention is drawn to the value to the Community of the power reactor programme.
  - <u>Parliamentary Social Committee</u>: the Rubinacci report on the second stage of the free movement of workers has been adopted.

p. 6 - <u>Tariff negotiations with the U.S</u>: statement by the industries of the Community.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2850 :

- p. 1 Costa Rica now represented diplomatically with the H.A.
  - French iron mines : partial unemployment due to lack of markets for poor quality ores.
- p. 1/2 Steel prices : new schedules in the Italian steel industry.
- p. 2 <u>Readaptation loans</u>: the H.A. has cancelled some unused oredits.
   <u>Transport rate publicity</u>: Luxembourg is to apply Recommendation 1/61 of the H.A.
- p. 2/3 Energy policy : according to European coal producers, the problem of security of supply should be given precedence.
  - \* See over : T.E.A. a work of the devil
  - \* EUROPE/Documents No. 189 : The views of the Union of EEC Industries on the tariff negotiations due to take place on the basis of the Trade Expansion Act.

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Luxembourg, 27th February 1963

\*In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1491 :

pp ]	/2	- Signature of the Association Convention : possible transition measures in favour
		of the African states are canvassed.
p.	1	- "Eurosyndicat" Stock exchange index : 135.36 (-0.96%)
p.	2	- E.E.CCyprus association : the Commission has submitted its report.
p.	3	- Association of dependent territories : the Commission's reply to question No.153
		by Mr. Carcassonne.
		- Sulphur industry : the reorganisation of the Sicilian industry is being treated
		as a Community responsibility.
pp 3	5/4	- Frontier workers : their social security situation has improved.
p.	4	- E.E.CIran/Israel relations : the problems involved in negotiating a commercial
		agreement with these countries.
		- <u>E.E.CIndia</u> : Prof. Hallstein to visit India shortly.
p.	5	- G.A.T.T. : the preparations for the meeting of the Ministers of Trade in May are
		to begin soon.
		- <u>G.A.T.T.</u> : Japan renounces the use of article XII to maintain import restrictions.
		- Liberation of industrial products : the Commission has recommended removal of all
		dollar discriminations.
p.	6	- Agricultural funds : the Commission has decided on the text of its draft regulat-
		ions.
		- Artificial fertiliser consumption : the Commission has published the results of
		an enquiry.
		- Food product imports : Italy asks to be able to import certain food stuffs partly
		free of duty.
		* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2851 :
		In the E.C.D.C. Dulletin NO. 2011
p.	1	- Transport : the H.A. asks member governments to communicate their tariff main-
<b>F</b>	-	tenance rates.
		- 1963 coal forecasts : workers and producers consider them too pessimistic.
p.	2	- French fuel imports : the French Government it to continue its system of supply
		priorities.
		- Coal forecasts for 1962 : actual demand was 10 million tons more than expected.
pp 2	/3	- Road transport for E.C.S.C. products : the set of regulations proposed by the
		Luxembourg Government.
		- <u>Oil prices</u> : considerable rise in Germany.
		- E.C.S.C-France : the mayors of the French steel town visit the H.A.
		- Nomination : Mr. Savouillan appointed Director of the Work Problems Department.
		and in the Joint Supplement :
		- FCSC IIV popphiations , the Council of Ministrum man discuss the marine
		- E.C.S.CU.K. negotiations : the Council of Ministers may discuss the resolut-
		ion adopted by the European Parliament. - <u>E.E.CU.K. relations</u> : Western European Union may take up the question.
		U.KE.E.C. member states : bilateral contacts continue.
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		* See over : An independent and united Europe.

\* EUROPE/Brief Notes : FRANCE.

Luxembourg, February 28th 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1492 :

- p. 1 E.E.C.-U.S.: Prof. Hallstein to meet President Kennedy.
  - E.E.C.-A.O.S. Association : the Commission is to encourage member governments to sign and ratify the Convention.
    - Special import tax on Italian refridgerators : the Italian Government has appealed to the Court of Justice.
- p. 2 <u>Democratic control in the Communities</u> : the attitude of the Christian Trade Unions of the Community.
  - Economic and Social Committee : Mr. Emile Roche to pay an official visit to Bonn shortly.
- pp 2/3 <u>Social security in the building industry</u> : the Commission's reply to question No. 151 by Mr. Troclet.
- p. 3 Enlargement of the E.E.C. : positive attitude from the Italian employers.
  - Car industry : exchange of views between the Christian Trade Unions.
- pp 4/5 Criteria for agricultural target prices : the main difficulties to be solved.
- p. 5 E.E.C.-A.O.S. : Mr. Adoula calls on the Commission.
  - Research reactors : Ispra I is transferred to Euratom.
  - <u>E.E.C.-Algeria</u> : a personal representative of Mr.Ben Bella has been in contact with senior members of the Commission.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2852 :

- p. 1 Steel prices : appreciable reductions in the Clabecq and Hadir schedules.
  - Ruhr sales organisations : the H.A.'s decision may be published before the end of March.
    - American scrap : the composite-price drops to 27.50 dollars.
- p. 2 <u>German compensatory taxes</u> : the Executive's reply to question No. 141 by Mr. Vanrullen.
  - Scrap market situation : H.A.-Retail trade discussions.
  - British steel industry : the Labour Party will nationalise the industry.
  - German steel industry : the Trade Unions have demanded an 8% wage increase.
  - Energy policy: the new draft Protocol will be adopted next Wednesday.
  - Group scrap : Clabecq is suing the H.A.
  - French coal industry : the Miners' Unions will maintain their strike call.
- pp 3/4 Consultative Committee : the Chairman expresses his regrets at the break-down of the negotiations with the U.K.
  - \* See over : Where is the dividing line between the economic and the political?

Luxembourg, 1st March 1963

\*In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1493

p. 1 - Franco-German Treaty : ratified by the German Upper House.

- E.E.C.-U.K. negotiations : the Commission's report will be handed to the Parliament on Monday.

- Food stuffs : estimates as to the long term trends in production and consumption.

- p. 2 Aid to shipbuilding : towards an overall view.
- p. 2/3 Dumping : the situation with regard to Community firms.
- p. 3 Aids to the film industry : the situation in France and Italy.
  - Common agricultural policy : publication in the Gazette of a series of regulations.
- p. 4/5 Problems of the British economy : towards devaluation or import controls?
- p. 5 <u>Court of Justice</u> : coming hearings in cases 26/62 (tariff quotas) and 28-30/62 (oustoms stand-still).

- Council discussions on a draft regulation : question No. 177 by Mr. Vredeling.

- p. 5/6 011 and transport taxes : question No. 178 by Mr. Müller-Hermann.
- p. 6 Exchange of young workers : question No. 179 by Mr. de Bloc.
  - E.E.C.-America relations : the Organisation of American States has opened an office in Brussels.
  - O.E.C.D. : Mr. Marjolin describes the favourable economic development of the E.E.C.

\*In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2853 :

- p. 1/2 <u>Dumping in the U.S.</u>: H.A. position with regard to the anti-dumping procedures brought by the U.S. authorities against Community producers.
- p. 2 Steel prices : schedule alternations in the Italian industry.
  - <u>Productivity-wage relationship</u> : the Consultative Committee's reply to the H.A.'s question.
- p. 3 <u>Coal production</u> : a statistical publication by the U.N. Economic Commission for Europe.
  - Domestic goal : research with a view to substituting rich coal for anthracite.

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- French miners : the strike call is widely followed.

\* See over : An association agreement open to development.

# No. 611 Laxembourg, 2nd March 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1494 :

- p. 1/2 <u>Navigation on the Rhine</u>: the Commission insists that the regulations on transport must apply without exception.
- p. 2/3 <u>Publication of nuclear information</u>: the policy to be followed by the Euratom Commission.
- P. 3 "Atlantic Association" : speach by Prof. Hallstein in New York.
- p. 4 Interpenetration.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2854 :

- p. 1 Parliament and the 10th anniversary of the E.C.S.C. : the Executive's reply to question No. 175 from Mr. Poher.
  - <u>Upper Volta</u> : transport difficulties make the exportation of the manganese deposits impossible.
- p. 1/2 Occupational medicin : the Consultative Committee calls for the intensification of research.
- p. 2 <u>Spanish steel</u>: the Spanish Government decides on measures of protection.
   <u>Dutch transport system</u>: the situation with regard to E.C.S.C. products.

\* The Week in Europe.

# Luxenbourg, 4th March 1963

\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1495 :

- p. 1 E.E.C.-U.K. negotiations : The Commission's report has been delivered to the European Parliament.
  - Ministers of Finance : the meeting will probably be held 25-26th March.
  - European Development Fund and "tied aid" : The Commission is to authorise third - Mr. Hallstein meets President Kennedy.
- p. 2 <u>Common commercial policy</u>: the Commission's recommendation with regard to the liberation of trade.
  - Economic and Social Committee : Mr. Emile Roche on official visit to Bonn.
- p. 3 Publication of nuclear knowledge : the Commission's policy.
  - <u>Compensatory import taxes in Germany</u> : the Commission's reply to question No.154 from Mr. Vanrullen.
- p. 4 <u>Luxembourg</u>: the Gouvernment's economic and budgetary policy continues to be based on the demands of European collaboration.
  - <u>Competition between public and private enterprise</u> : the programme and the themes of the international colloquium opening tomorrow.
- p. 5/6 <u>Agricultural prospects</u>: the Commission's report on the probable development of supply and demand over the period 1958-70.
- p. 6 Associated Overseas States : the Commission is to propose a set of interim measures.
  - Communist Parties of the E.E.C.: meeting today in Brussels.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2855 :

- p. 1 <u>German coal industry</u>: the H.A. is to examine the parliamentary bill for the creation of a "rationalisation community".
  - <u>Steel market developments</u> : sales by alignements on third country offers have gone down sharply.

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- French coal industry : large response to the miners' strike call.
- p. 2 Dutch transport system : the situation with regard to E.C.S.C products (11).
- p. 2/3 <u>Steel production in 1962</u>: Community production went down relative to world production as a whole.

\* See over :"As though nothing had happened"?

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#### Luxembourg, 5th March 1963

4 In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1496 :

- p. 1 <u>EEC-UK negotiations</u> : the conclusions of the Hallstein report are always qualified.
- p. 2 Economic and Financial Committee : the importance of the geographical extension of the Common Market is emphasized.
  - Franco-Italian frontier : improvement of the conditions of crossing.
- p. 3 European Development Fund and untied aid : a first try out is planned.
  - E.E.C.-U.K. relations : Mr. Heath will be at Brussels tomorrow.
  - E.E.C.-U.S. relations : Mr. Hallstein in Washington.
  - O.E.C.D. : Mr. Kristensen to visit the U.S. for a banker's meeting.
  - Brussels crisis : exchange of letters between Adenauer and Erhard,
- p. 4 Agricultural prospects : the Commission's report on probable developments over the period 1958-70 (11).
  - Eggs and poultry : publication in the Gazette of three Commission regulations.
- p. 5 Unroasted coffee : the problem of specific as against ad valorem duties.
  - <u>Associated African States</u> : constructive attitude with regard to the delays in the signature of the new convention.
  - <u>Grain prices</u> : the Commission is to submit shortly its proposals for fixing target prices for the 1963-64 season.
- p. 6 E.E.C.-Latin America : towards the setting up of a liaison body.
  - <u>O.E.C.D.-Latin America</u>: the President of the Interamericain Development Bank at a meeting of C.A.D.
    - + In to-day's E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2856 :
- p. 1 <u>Parliamentary Internal Market Committee</u> : the problems connected with E.C.S.C. products on the agenda for the next meeting.
- p. 1/2 Steel exports : overall reduction in 1962.
  - German coal imports : the Trade Unions come out against any future increase.
    - German energy policy : a series of measures to be taken this week.
    - <u>Steel</u>: Mr. Sohl attacks the distortion of competitive conditions on the Community and world markets.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- European jurisprudence : coming colloquium at the University of Collogne.
- Parliamentary Energy Committee : visit to Berlin.
- Consultative bodies of the European Communities : Roche-Kegel meeting.
  - + See over : Things look black : a truism, but one that needs discussing.

+ EUROPE/Documents No. 190 : THE EEC COMMISSION'S REPORT TO THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT ON THE STATE OF THE NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE UNITED KINGDOM (official summary)

Luxembourg, 6th Februa

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1497 :

- p. 1 Tariff negotiations with the U.S. : meeting of the special "article 111 Committee
  - Business Cycle Policy Committee : the study of the forecast economic budgets for 1963 to continue tomorrow.
- p. 1 "Eurosyndicat" Stock Exchange Index : 135.87 (+0.37%).
- p. 1/2 E.E.C.-U.K. relations : Mr. Heath meets Messrs. Spaak and Luns.
- p. 2 American policy for nuclear energy : the main themes of the
- pp 3/4 Common transport policy : the chances of any decision by the Council are very slim.
- p. 4 <u>Association of the African states</u> : possibility of anticipating the tariff provisions of the new Convention.
  - European Development Fund : Congo-Leopoldville gives notice of four calls for tenders
- p. 5 <u>Euratom</u> : the Scientific and Technical Committee examines the problems of plutonium recycling.
- p. 6 <u>O.E.C.D.-Turkey</u> : the Turkish Government is granted a 50 million dollar oredit. - Agricultural structures : first meeting of the Permanent Committee.
  - Italian food imports : certain duties partially suspended.
  - Common external tariff : partial suspension of certain duties authorised by the Council.
  - E.E.C.-Turkey association : no decision yet.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2857 :

- pp 1/2 <u>Steel prices</u> : for many products French prices have lost their competitive leadership.
- p. 2 High Authority : Mr. Malvestiti is to stand in the Italian elections.
- p. 3 Revision of the E.C.S.C. Treaty : speech by Mr. Coppé.
  - French miners : almost 100% backing for the strike.
  - Free Trade Unions of the Six : the Miners and Metalworkers to discuss the strike by the French miners.

\* See over : Balance-sheet of a failure.

\* EUROPE/Documents No. 188 : THE STATE OF THE NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN THE COMMUNITY COUNTRIES AND THE UNITED KINGDOM

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# Luxembourg, 7th March 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1498 :

p. 1 - <u>Declaration by Mr. Hallstein</u>: U.S. policy will continue to be based on the idea of partnership with Europe.

- Association of African states : the interior measures proposed by the Commission.

- p. 2 <u>Euratom Supply Agency</u>: the Consultative Committee's report concludes as to the necessity to ensure the long term supplies of the Community in natural uranium.
  - <u>Import prohibitions in Senegal</u> : the Commission's reply to question No. 156 from Mr. Margulies.
- p. 3 <u>Road haulage</u>: the Commission's reply to question No. 2 1961/62 by Mr. Cardaterra.
   <u>Import tax on Italian refrigerators</u>: the Commission's reply to question Nr. 155 from Mr. Ferretti.

- OECD study of the Swiss economy : the need to an excessive rate of growth.

- p. 4 <u>Regional policy</u>: the three special study groups set up by the Commission get down to work.
- p. 5 <u>E.E.C.-Communist Parties</u> : towards the participation of the latter in the European Parliament and in the Economic and Social Committee.
- pp 5/6 <u>Barley prices</u> : a new draft regulation provides for the narrowing of the Community fork.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2858 :

- p. 1 Bundesbahn support rates : authorisation extended for three years.
- pp 1/2 Coal forecasts : marked increase in domestic coal requirements expected in 1963.
- p. 1 American scrap : the composite-price remains at 27.50 dollars.
- p. 2 <u>French miners' strike</u>: the miners and metalworkers of the Six express their sympathy.
- p. 3 Energy policy : the new Protocol will be discussed on Monday by the "Energy" Interexecutive.
  - E.C.S.C.-Southern Italy : the H.A. helps to finance an economic development study.
  - Oven coke : drop in exports during 1962.

\* See over : The Communists want to take part.

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## Luxembourg, 8th March 1963

\*In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No.1499 :

- p. 1 <u>E.E.C.-Latin America relations</u> : the Permanent Representatives' assistants are to draw up a report.
  - The crisis : a series of meetings and statements Mr. Hallstein at the Hague.
- pp 1/2 <u>Common transport policy</u>: the Council invites the Commission to submit some new proposals.
- p. 2 Switzerland is still interested in association with the EEC.
- p. 3 <u>Tariff negotiations</u> : declaration by Mr. Hallstein on the obstacles to be overcome.
  - U.K.-Sweden : joint declaration by Messrs. Macmillan and Erlander.
- p. 4 <u>Cereal-prices</u> : the target prices for the various members of the E.E.C. according to the Commission's proposals.
  - <u>Non-use of tariff quotas</u>: France obliged to liberate imports of numerous fruits vegetables and preserves.
  - The crisis : according to Mr. Heinz Krekeler, the best thing to do would be to continue the construction of Europe rather than to seek alternative solutions.
- p. 5 Kenya, Tanganyika, and Uganga : coming taks with the European Commission. - A.O.S. : certain problems still to be solved.
  - Aid to Latin America : M. Herrera advocates the setting up of a European Fund.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2859 :

- p. 1 Price rules : Fench steel firm fined.
  - Fines :writs issued against 11 Italian steel firms.
  - Steel production : drop of nearly 10% in February.
- pp 1/2 Steel price : schedule alternations by some Italian and Belgian firms.
- p. 2 Belgian coal : COBECHAR increases its price schedule.
  - Coal production : the February figures are 1.7% up on last year.

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- Coal shortage in France : the French Government to take emergency measures.

.... and in to-day's Joint Supplement :

- German oil imports : the Federal Government rejects the idea of applying quotas.

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\* See over : Who cares about what?

#### Luxembourg, 9th March 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1500 :

- pp 1/2 E.E.C. economic situation : rising prices, falling exports.
- pp 2/3 Tariff negotiations : was the "secret protocol" on the 20% provisional CET out valid?
- p. 3 Special farm committee studies draft regulations on dairy products, beef and rice.
   Permanent farm structures committee : work begins Mansholt statement.
  - Development Fund : recent activities :
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2860 :
- p. 1 Steel market : almost all ECSC firms must align on Belgian concrete red prices.
- pp 1/2 French miner's strike : solid fuel stocks and requirements.
- p. 2 Coal imports : rise over 1962 figures due in second quarter.
  - French steel : producers submit plan for reducing coke prices.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- The orisis : diplomatic consultations on the course to adopt key position of Germany.
- European Parliament : programme of March session.

\* The Week in Europe.

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1501 :

- p. 1 Kenya, Uganda and Tanganyika : tomorrow, meeting with the ambassadors of the A.O.S.
  - Parliamentary agriculture committee : examination of the Hallstein report on the breakdown of the British negotiations.
- p. 2 Economic policy : the Business Cycle Policy Committee is preparing a report on the forecast economic budgets.
  - Shipbuilding : consultations requested by Germany.
    - State aids for Sicily authorised.
  - Lord Home to visit Paris.
- p. 3 [- E.E.C.-Turkey association : resumption of negotiations tomorrow.
  - European film competition to be held by the Communities.
  - Consumers Contact Committee : two day conference to be held next week.
- p. 4 After Brussels : British industry is planning to increase its investments on the continent.
  - Nationalisation of Italian mines : hostile reaction from Sicilian industrialists.
- p. 5 Intra-community customs reductions : Italy abolishes the exceptions to the linear reduction rule.
  - Expenditure on agriculture : question No. 180 from Mme Stroebel.
  - Developping countries : a new method of educating the rural masses.
  - Agricultural regulations : published in the Official Gazette.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2861 :

- p. 1 Metal workers' union : resolution concerning the action of the H.A.
- pp.1/2 Belgian coal : price developments compared with those of the Ruhr.
- p. 2 Declaration by Herr Kost : the Treaty of Paris favours the nationalised coal mines.
  - European steel film festival : 41 films have been submitted.
- p. 3 Steel imports : Eastern Europe and Great Britain have been the principal beneficiaries of the upsurge.
  - COCOR : the agenda for the coming meeting.

\* See over : Ten years of news about Europe.

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#### Luxembourg, 12th March 1963

+ In to-day's COMMON MARKET / EURATOM Bulletin No.1502 :

- p. 1 <u>Hallstein Report</u> : to be debated by the European Parliament on March 27th. - <u>E.E.C.-A.O.S.</u> - Association : the Commission's proposals for a "bridge" between the two Conventions
- p. 2 <u>Market organisation for fats</u> : declaration by the professional agricultural organisation of the Community (COPA)
  - <u>Regional policy</u> : the Social Committee of the European Parliament examines the questionnaire on the subject.
  - European Commission : Mr. Mansholt will not be standing in the coming Dutch elections.
- pp 3/4 Common transport policy : the oil companies are against the inclusion of pipelines.
- pp 4/5 <u>Sweet confections</u>: France and Germany to reduce the compensatory taxes charged on imports from E.E.C. countries.
- p. 5 <u>Agricultural prices</u>: Mr. Mansholt emphasizes the need to start bringing prices together as from this year.
  - E.F.T.A. : the anxieties of the Swiss Chamber of Arts and Crafts.

+ In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2862 :

- pp 1/2 Rolled products : new commands in February down more than 10% on a year ago.
- p. 2 <u>Steel prices</u> : Italsider decides to grant rebates on its reinforcing rod schedules.
   <u>Steel export prices</u> : a certain levelling out is noticeable.
  - Japanese steel industry : the agreement to limit production is extended until June.
- p. 3 <u>Energy policy</u> : the Interexecutive has agreed on a draft protocol.
   French mine strike : increasing calls for mediation.

+ See over : A Community - Great Britain contact committee?

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#### Luxembourg, 13th March 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1503 :

- p. 1 Preparations for Kennedy round : US team has talks with EEC Commission experts.
  - Kennedy round : EEC Commission to consult TUs.
    - Eurosyndicat : 137.02 (+0.85%)
- pp 1/2 Lead and zinc : government experts to examine the Commission's emergency programme proposals.
  - UK-EEC : UK delegation leaves Brussels.
  - Franco-German Treaty : views of free TUs (ICFTU)
  - Social security of migrant workers : free TUs demand representation on Administration Commission.
  - Electric power in Italy : EEC Commission authorises state aid.
  - 3 Railway port rates : an EEC Commission reply.
    - New Guinea : EEC Commission reply on Development Fund grants.
    - Tariff cuts : Swiss finance ministry fears loss of revenue.
- p. 4 <u>EEC-Greece</u>: Association Committee to start studying harmonisation of agricultural and economic policy.
- pp 4/5 EEC-African States : problems of Commonwealth countries Dutch views.
  - 5 Court of Justice : German and EEC Commission briefs in tariff quotas case (24/62)
    - EEC-Latin America : Costa Rica wants CET coffee tariff replaced by specific duty.
      - Sig. Caron to stand in Italian elections.
- p. 6 <u>Cereal prices</u>: parliamentary committee calls for consultation of Parliament on EEC Commission proposals for narrowing gap.
  - Kenya, Uganda, Tanganyika : joint mission arrives in Brussels.
    - \* In the E.C.E.C. Bulletin No. 2863 :
- p. 1 Steel market : growth of intra-Community trade.
  - Dutch coalmines : rationalisation.
- pp 1/2 U.S. coal exports : increase in 1962.
- p. 2 Luxembourg steel industry : talks on new collective contract continue.
  - H.A.-Steelmen : further talks on April 5.
  - Steel "general objectives " : H.A. calls in automobile industry experts.
- pp 2/3 Representatives of two French regions visit the H.A.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- Political consultations amongst the Six : Dutch opposed in principle .
- EEC Socialist parties : policy meeting tomorrow.
- European Parliament : agenda of March session.
  - \* See over : Allies for Montgomery.
  - \* EUROPE/Brief Notes No. 101 : B E N E L U X
  - \* EUROPE/Documents No. 191/192 : COMMUNITY POLICY IN THE LIGHT OF THE BRUSSELS CRISIS
    - A speech by Prof. W. Hallstein at the Columbia University, New York

## Luxembourg, 14th March 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin Nol 1504 :

- p. 1 <u>Common transport policy</u> : no Council decisions before 1964 Council sends \_ EEC Commission document summarising national positions.
- pp 1/2 Cereal prices : special measures proposed for Italy and Luxembourg.
- p. 2 <u>Processed egg products</u>: Germany to apply reduced levies until Oct. 31 1963.
   <u>Development Fund</u>: EEC Commission reply about projects in the Congo (Léo).
- p. 3 English language publications (About KEC and the underdeveloped countries) : an EEC Commission reply.
  - Rice market : evasive EEC Commission reply.
  - EEC external relations : speech by M. Pescatore in Vienna.
  - <u>Switzerland-Council of Europe</u> : accession to be ratified by plenary session of Federal Assembly.
  - Anglo-Italian cooperation : results of Sig. Piccioni's visit to London.
- p. 4 <u>E.I.B.</u> : contracts signed for aid to four projects in South Italy.
  - Court of Justice : Advocate-General's conclusions in prejudicial appeals 28-30/62 (interpretation of Art. 12).
- p. 5 Farm policy : preparations for coming Council session : price eriteria, draft regulations for rice and beef.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2864 :
- p. 1 Power station in Lorraine : H.A. makes investment grant.
  - Ruhr coal : decision on joint selling likely next week.
  - Thyssen-Phoenix-Rheinrohr concentration : no decision before end of the month.
  - Composite-price : at 27.50 doll. for third week running.
  - 2 <u>Steel tubes</u> : in favour of their inclusion as ECSC products.
    - High Authority : do the members reside in Luxembourg? (Parliamentary question no.181)
    - Council of Ministers : agenda for session on March 21.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- Energy : France to have long-term policy at national level.
- Energy policy : H.A. touches up draft of supplementary protocol to ECSC Treaty.
- European Socialist parties condemn Franco-German Treaty.

\* See over : The "gueules noirs" ... and energy policy.

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Luxembourg, 15th March 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1505 :

- p. 1 <u>Relations with developing countries</u> : the visit of the E. African mission.
- p. 2 <u>Common transport policy</u> : member States' view on international road goods transport. ~ EEC Commission : a new appointment.
- p. 3 <u>Beconomic trends in OECD countries</u> : inadequate rates of expansion in USA and UK.

# p. 4 - Future of the Communities : speech by M. Chatenet.

- Imports of Danish poultry : levy raised.
- Agricultural trade : parliamentary question from M. Pleven.
- p. 5 <u>EEC collaboration with African organisations</u> : question from Sig. Pedini and EEC Commission's reply.
  - Italian refrigerators : interim reply from EEC Commission.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2865 :

- pp 1/2 <u>Coal problems</u>: H.A. replies to parliamentary questions Ruhr selling agencies losses incurred by the French miners.
- p. 2 Sorap : French steelmen oppose freeing of exports from ECSC.
- pp 2/3 <u>Technical research</u> : greater coordination amongst the 3 Executives called for. - <u>Steel and mining towns</u> : Congress in Luxembourg on March 18-19.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- Direct elections to European Parliament : a French M.P. proposes setting a date.
- Socialist parties of the Community : statement about European problems and the Franco-German Treaty.

See over : The Socialists and the Franco-German Treaty.

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No.1506 :

- p. 1 <u>Lead and zinc</u> : the emergency programme considered insufficient.
   <u>Kenya, Uganda and Tanganyika</u> : their fears are apparently excessive.
   Italian customs reductions : new measures to encourage imports.
- P. 2 <u>Rice regulation</u>: towards a system parallel with that for grain.
   <u>Court of Justice</u>: the Advocate General to give his conclusions in 24/62 (Germany vs. E.E.C.Commission) next Friday.
- p. 3 <u>Common transport policy</u>: the member states' positions with regard to international railway and inland waterway transport.
- p. 4 Interpenetration.
  - \* In to-day's E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2866 :
- p. 1 <u>Court of Justice</u> : the H.A. hopes the Court will refuse to hear Mme. Schieker's appeal.
  - Heath protection : the Parliamentary Committee examines the relevant parts of the eleventh annual report.
  - <u>Consultative Committee</u> : the Market and Price Sub-committee will continue its study of the coal problem on April 5th.
- p. 1/2 <u>Custom rolling of Soviet coils</u> : the member states attempt to establish a common attitude.
- p. 2 <u>Luxembourg steel industry</u>: the negotiations over the new collective contract: have been successfully concluded.

... and in the Joint Supplement :

- <u>Anglo-Italian talks</u> : towards a formula for maintaining contact between the Community and Great-Britain.
- General de Gaulle at the Hague.
- M. Le Breton takes office as Assistant Secretary General of the Assembly of W.E.U.

\* The Week in Europe.

# Luxembourg, 18th March 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1507 :

- p. 1 <u>E.E.C.-Turkey association</u>: the general framework of the agreement has been agreed on.
- pp 1/2 <u>Emergency economic interventions</u>: the Commission is to propose a special procedure to deal with unexpected shortages.
- p. 2 British policy vis-à-vis Europe : possible initiatives in the field of defence are under study.
- p. 3 <u>Common transport policy</u>: member states' positions with regard to fiscal, technical and social harmonisation.
  - French fruit imports : written question No.167 from Mr. Pedini together with the Commission's reply.
- p. 4 <u>Cut-up pork</u>: the application of the levy system as proveded for by the new draft regulation drawn up by the Commission.
  - <u>Dutch lead and zinc quotas</u> : written question No. 165 by Mr. de Block and the Commission's reply.
- p. 5 <u>E.E.C.-Latin America relations</u>: written question No. 168 from Mr. de Block and the Commission's reply.
- pp 5/6 <u>Target price criteria</u>: the national exports have almost reached agreement on the various income oriteria.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2867 :
- pp 1/2 <u>Eleventh Genral Activity Report</u>: H.A. declaration on the modifications needed in the Treaty of Paris.
- p. 2 <u>Declaration by Mr. Malvestiti</u>: G.B. had every interest in accepting the Treaty of Paris without any modifications.
  - Steel industry : the employment situation in the Community.
- p. 3 <u>Oil</u>: the German Government reduces the maximum duration of delivery contracts.
   <u>Community steel and mining towns</u>: the Congress of Mayors examines the coal problem.
  - The European Steel Film Festival.

\* See over : Thoughts about the future of the Communities.

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\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No.1508 :

- p. 1 A Benelux-U.K. Committee set up.
  - Monetary Committee : examination of the monetary and financial situation in France.
- pp 1/2 Council "agricultural" session : no decisions expected on the target price question.
- p. 2 Imports of Danish poultry : new Regulation published in the Gazette.
  - Fruit imports : derogations allowed from the sandards of quality fixed for citrus fruit.
- p. 3 <u>Italian economy</u>: the Rome Government congratulated by OECD for its efforts to stimulate expansion.
  - Foreign statistics : the 1963 Community "Geographical Code" has just appeared.
- p. 4 Export prohibitions : has France committed an infringement of the Treaty?
- E.E.C.consumers : the Contact Committee wants a voice in Community decisions.
- p. 5 <u>American investments in Europe</u> : summary of the Commission's reply to question No. 171 from M. Pleven.
  - <u>Visit of the East African delegation</u> : not very helpful meeting with the ambassadors of the associated African states.
- p. 6 Euratom : the Consultative Committee of the EURISOTOP Bureau holds its second meeting.
  - Euratom : Commission communication on marked molecules.
  - Community-G.B. relations : statement by Prince Bernhard.
  - Italy-U.K. : Sig. La Malfa in London.
  - E.E.C.-U.K. negotiations : the Chr.-Dem. Group in the European Parliament has been studying the Hallstein Report.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2868 :

- p. 1 Rhine navigation : the Central Committee is to meet next April 9th.
  - Price rules : warning letter sent to a Belgian coal firm.
  - Italian steel industry : large rebates being granted for iron wire.
- p. 1/3 <u>Steel and mining towns</u> : the Congress of Mayors has been discussing the problems of the steel industry.
- p. 3 Belgian coal industry : Mr. Spinoy criticises the recent price increases.
  - Steel tube exports to Russia : economic consequences of the embargo imposed by the Federal Government.
  - Towards steel price publicity for the retail trade?

\* See over : First the U.S.S.R., now China.

### Luxembourg, 20th March 1963

\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No.1509 :

- p. 1 <u>African association</u> : a Council decision on the transition measures is being prepared.
  - "Eurosyndicat" Stock Exchange Index : 136.72 (-0.22%)
- p. 2 <u>Sugar quotas</u> : Italy authorised to import 130,000 tons from third country sources.
  - Tariff negotiations : meeting of the GATT working party on problems of method.
- p. 3 Latin America : the E.E.C. is ready to cooperate with the Interamerican Development Bank.
- p. 4 <u>FEDOM</u> : recent activities. - Central America : an economic union called for.
- p. 5 Foreign workers' social security : new Commission proposal.
  - Film industry : Commission opproval of the new French system of state aid.
    - Council of Ministers : opening of the session.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2869 :

- p. 1 Future of the coal industry : declaration by Lord Robens.
  - Oven coke : February production up on a year ago.
- p. 2 Steel market : situation unchanged.
  - Coal : rapid fall in stocks.
  - Belgian coal : details on the recent price increases.
  - German compensatory import tax : anxieties of the French steel' industry.
- p. 3 Congress of Mayors : the problems of regional policy and industrial reconversion.

\* See over : Now it is up to Britain.

Luxembourg, 21st March 1963

\*In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1510 :

- p. 1 <u>Stand-still agreement</u> : the Bundestag's modifications in import tax rates may be fatal.
- p. 2 Signature of the Association Convention : two statements.
- p. 3 FEDOM and untied aid : the Development Assistance Group is waiting to see how the Commission puts its intentions into practice.
  - Fruit and vegetable market : the Commission's reply to question No. 173 by Mr. Müller-Hermann.
- p. 4 <u>Dahomey-Niger railway line</u>: the Commission's reply to question No. 174 by Mr. Pedini.
  - State aids : the system of state aid for the Saar authorised until the end of 1964.
  - <u>Parliamentary Agricultural Committee</u> : several members are against any reduction in cereal prices.
- p. 5 Interpenetration.
- p. 6 "Agricultural" Council session : decisions with regard to cereal prices have been put off till a further meeting.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2870 :

- p. 1 <u>Crude iron ore extraction</u> : appreciable fall during the first two months of the year.
  - Thyssen-Phoenix-Rheinrohr merger : the decision to authorise may be taken next Monday.
  - Closure of a Ruhr coking plant.
  - American sorap : the composite price constant at 27.50 dollars.
- p. 2 Ruhr coal : the two selling organisations may be authorised on Monday.
- p. 3 German coal : consumption by publicly owned power stations has gone up 39% in 10 years.
  - <u>Council of ministers</u> : an ad hoc committee to study the effects of low price imports from third countries.
    - \* and in the joint supplement
  - French energy policy : question from M. Toubeau on the possible consequences of the French decision on the common policy.
  - <u>Common energy policy</u>: the N.A. has made a proposal on the procedure to be followed in examining the Memorandum.

\* See over : Joint defence equals common policy.

#### Luxembourg, 22nd March 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1511 :

- p. 1 Future tariff negotiations : Messrs. Rey and Marjolin to visit the United States.
   E.E.C.-Austria : the Vienna Government askes for its request for association to be taken up again.
- p. 2 <u>Fiscal discrimination</u>: the Netherlands will be called on to modify the present system applied to oil products.
  - Common policy for lead and zinc : written question No. 183 by Mr. Vredeling.
  - <u>Lead and zinc</u> : authorisation for the Italian safety measures published in the Gazette.
  - E.E.C.-Turkey association : the Turkish Foreign Minister in Rome.
  - Europe-America : speech by Mr. Tuthill.
- p. 3 Economic policy : the Dichgans report for the European Parliament.
- p. 4 <u>- Euratom</u> : the Commission has decided to participate financially in the construction and exploitation of the S.E.P. power station.
  - African integration : declaration by Mr. Walter Scheel.
- p. 5 <u>Cereal prices for the next farm year</u> : the Council will be unable to take any decision for several weeks.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2871 :

- p. 1 Steel market situation : an ad hoc committee set up.
  - <u>Scrap exports</u> : the prohibition of scrap exports to third countries has been suspended for another six months.
- pp 1/2 <u>Readaptation of workers</u> : reclassification very easy during 1962 as a result of the helpful situation on the labour market.
- p. 2 Energy policy : full-scale debate to be held by the German Parliament on March 29.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- <u>Common energy policy</u> : a committee of experts set up to settle the points of fact on which the member states are agreed.
  - \* See over : Deterrent : which discourages by fear.

# Luxembourg, 23rd March 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No.1512 :

- p. 1 <u>Ministers of Finance</u> : fiscal harmonisation, American investment and Turkey dominate the agenda.
  - European Parliament : the problem of cereal prices will be discussed.
  - Appointement : Mr. Defassez (Belgium) becomes a member of the Business Cycle Policy Committee.
- p. 2 <u>Trade agreements</u>: the Commission is in favour of optional notification for certain types of agreement.
  - Egg products : Italy and Germany authorised to reduce import levies once again.
  - 1963 tariff quotas : the first decisions by the Commission convering agricultural products.

## p. 3 - E.E.C-Swiss relations : statement by Mr. Wahlen.

- W.E.U. : the Council meeting will not take place after all.
- Obstacles to trade : final examination of the draft directive on number plates.
- European Commission : enlargement of its administrative complex.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No.2872 :

- pp 1/2 Steel market : the problem of low price imports.
- p. 2 <u>Germans coal policy</u> : Mr. Adenauer insists on maintaining a market for 140 million tons.
  - European Parliament : the March session opens on Monday.

\* The Week in Europe.

# Luxembourg, 25th March 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1513 :

- p. 1 <u>Industrial reconversion</u> : financial details of European Bank's first venture in this field.
  - European Parliament : March session opened to-day.
- p. 2 Poultry market : Special Farm Committee to study loop-holes in Community system.
- p. 3 <u>Registration of ententes</u> : Commission's reasons for opposing compulsory registrattion.
  - Waterway frontiers : two new working parties.
  - European Study Centre founded in Antwerp.
- p. 4 Special Farm Committee : further meeting to prepare next Council session.
  - UK Community relations : Whitehall fears gap may widen.
  - <u>Burocontrol</u> : Convention now in force.
- p. 5 Consumers' Contact Committee : "watch committee" for prices set up.

- Social problems in agriculture : EEC Commission plans to set up 2 advisory committee

- Finance Ministers : M. Marjolin on the economic situation.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2873 :

- p. 1 Market problems : E.P. Internal Market Committee studies coal and steel markets.
  - Ruhr selling agencies : management changes.
    - Household coke : Ruhr planning price changes.
- pp1/2 Steel market : signs of revival.
- p. 2 Steel agreements : Iron and Steel Federation intends to stick to price agreements. with Community steel firms.
  - German fuel oil tax : extension approved by Bundesrat.
  - European Parliament : Sig. Gaetano Martino again President.

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- p. 3 Special steels : firms worried at prospect of overproduction.
  - <u>Consultative Committee</u> : four technical research projects on agenda for next meeting.
    - \* See over : Parliament, the Executive and a European price and wage policy.

### Luxembourg, 26th March 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1514 :

- p. 1 African association : the application of the proposed transition measures still raises problems.
  - <u>Ministers of Finance</u> : The Commission has agreed to make a study of American investment in Europe.
- pp 2/3 European Parliament : the Blaisse report holds that there is no alternative solution to British accession.
- p. 3 <u>Regulation of the wine market</u> : the Commission proposes an enlargement of the quotas granted by France, Italy and Germany.
  - Fish processing industry : an appeal for the suspension of the custom duties on their raw materials.
- pp 4/5 <u>Economic and Social Committee</u> : Community trading policy the principal point on the agenda.
- p. 5 <u>Political Committee of Parliament</u>: Messrs. Hallstein and Rey explain the problems raised by the Kennedy negotiations.
- pp 6/7 European Parliament : according to Mr. Marjolin, the essential problem is the increase in prices.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2874 :

- p. 1 German coal mines : new system of shift bonuses decided.
  - Saar coal industry : the summer rebates will be applied as from April 1st.
  - <u>Community coal production</u> : H.A. forecasts as to future developments in the field of development costs.
- pp 1/2 <u>State of the steel industry</u>: the ad hoc Committee is to examine possible steps to be taken on the national level.
- pp 2/3 <u>Sales by alignement</u>: the Dutch steel industry protests against the H.A.'s communication.
- p. 3 <u>Energy policy</u>: the H.A. will reply to M. Toubeau on Thursday.
   <u>Appointment</u>: new director at the Work Problems Department.

\* See over : The danger of self-sufficiency.

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#### Luxembourg, 27th March 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1515 .:

- p. 1/2 European Parliament : debate on the problems raised by the Brussels crisis broad exposé by Mr. Hallstein.
- p. 1 Eurosyndicat : 138,76 (+1.19%)
- p. 3/4 <u>Common Transport policy</u>: the Parliamentary Transport Committee calls for the inclusion of pipe-lines.
- p. 4 Import taxes : the Commission's reply to question No. 176 by Mr. Müller-Hermann.
- p. 5 Tariff quotas (lead and zinc) : written question No. 184 by Mr. Blaisse.
   State Aids for agricultural exports : the Commission is preparing a report.
- p. 6 Poultry market organisation : the Commission proposes a reduction in the lockgate price.
  - <u>Kennedy negotiations</u> : the Commission has drawn up the text of the mandate it desires to be given.
  - <u>Court of Justice</u> : the Advocate General concludes in favour of F.R. of Germany in the case 24/62 (tariff quotas).

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2875 :

- p. 1/3 <u>Compensatory import taxes</u> : different rates have not led to any increase in French steel exports.
- p. 2/3 Dumping : the rules applied by GATT, European Treaties and the Six .
  - Thyssen-Phoenix Rheinrohr concentration : the H.A. will take a decision before the end of next month.
- p. 3 Western European Coal Producers : M. Delville elected Chairman of the Study Committee :
  - Steel prospects : orude steel production is running at 82.6% of capacity.

..... in the Joint Supplement :

- European Parliament : composition of the Committee bureaus.
- Franco-German Treaty : declaration by the European Commission

\* See over : <u>A positive synthesis drawn from negative elements - Professor</u> Hallstein.

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\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1516 :

- p. 1/2 European Parliament: debate on Community foreign policy Mr. Rey denies that the cohesion of the Community will be threatened by the coming Kennedy negotiations.
- p. 2/3 <u>Associated African states</u> : the European Parliament demands that the Council fix a date for the signature of the Convention next Tuesday.
- p. 3 Rapprochement of cereal prices : wide divergence of views within the Parliament.
- p. 4 <u>African associated states</u> : the Six may fall back on a more modest transition arrangement.
  - Euratom Council of Ministers : next Monday, renewal of the Scientific and Technical Committee.
- p. 5 <u>G.A.T.T.</u>: Committee III sums up the situation with regard to the obstacles in the way of exports by underdevelopped countries.
  - <u>Euratom</u>: the Commission decides formally to participate in the construction of the German nuclear power station K.R.B..
  - Housing construction : increased rate during 1962.
- p. 6 Mr. Mansholt to visit the United States shortly.
  - Poultry lock-gate price : further information on the Commission's proposals.
  - O.E.C.D : negotiations to be begun with a view to Japanese accession.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin Ni. 2876 :

- p. 1 <u>Steel forecasts (2nd qtr</u>) : real consumption only due to go up 2%.
   <u>American scrap</u> : the composite-price rises to 27.83 dollars.
- p. 2 <u>German sorap</u>: the Renn works will be kept in working order.

  <u>Coal prices</u>: alternations of the Aix-la-Chapelle schedules.
- p. 2/3 Dumping : the rules applied in G.A.T.T., the European Treaties and the Six (II).
- p. 3 <u>Imported scrap perequation</u> : the H.A. will issue a final demand for payment before Easter.
  - Sarre : the setting up of a Franco-German refinery is under study.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- <u>Direct elections to the European Parliament</u>: Mr. Dehousse proposes they should be organised just in those countries that agree to do so.
- <u>European Parliament</u> : beginning : beginning of the debate on the Rademacher Report (pipe-lines).
- U.E.O. : the next meeting at Bonn.
- Consultative Assembly : Mr. Pflimlin may be elected Chairman.
  - \* See over : Tombstone ... or the first bricks of a revival?

\* "EUROPE" Documents No. 183 : TRANSPORT USERS AND THE COMMUNITY PLAN OF ACTION IN COMMON TRANSPORT POLICY -

Luxembourg, 29th March 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No.1517 :

- p. 1/2 <u>Next Council session on agriculture</u>: the ministers will not be in a position to take any important decisions.
- p. 2 Interpenetration : Monsanto Chemicals installs itself in Luxembourg.
   Italian T.U.'s : the left-wing C.G.I.L. sets up a mission in Brussels.
  - <u>Ministers of Finance</u> : subsequent scepticism as to the prospects for European planning of fiscal harmonisation.
- p. 3 European Parliament : adoption of three resoltuions on social policy lively debate on Sicily.
  - German compensatory import tax : statement by the French wool industry.
- p. 4 <u>Court of Justice</u> : decision in cases 28, 29 and 30/62 (customs stand-still).
- p. 4/5 Economic and Social Committee : adoption of the Pécigout Report on Community trading policy.
- p. 5 F.E.D.O.M. : recent decisions and calls for tenders.
  - European policy : strongstand by Federation of Dutch Industrialists.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2877 :

- p. 1 Coal situation : to be studied by meeting of experts.
  - Workers' housing in France : cost of the 5th Building Programme.
  - German compensatory import tax : Mr. Sohl defends the recent increase.
- p. 2 Price of Belgian coal : new COBECHAR prices.
  - Pig iron and scrap : forecast for the 2nd quarter of 1963.
  - Closure of the Renn works at Salzgetter.
  - Closure of Ruhr coal mine.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- p. 1 European Parliament : adoption of the Rademacher Report on pipe-lines.
- p. 2 French and Community energy policies : the Executives' reply to Mr. Toubeau.
  - European Parliament : adoption of political resolution affirming the necessity to continue the process of integration.
    - European School : 10th anniversary.

\* See over : The State of the Union : paralysis.

\* EUROPE/Brief Notes No. 104 : I T A L Y.

## Luxembourg, 30th March 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1518 :

- p. 1 <u>African associated states</u> : the Council of Ministers may be able to make a conciliatony gesture.
  - <u>Kennedy negotiations</u> : the American Government is actuelly to propose a 50% reduction in duties on both industrial and agricultural products.
  - European Bank : creation of a special section for loans to developping countries.
- pp 1/2 Council of Ministers : programme for the coming meeting.
- p. 3 Fruit and vegetable market organisation : written questions Nos. 1-4 from Mr. Mauk. - European Crisis : declaration by Mr. Roche.
  - Trade Expansion Act : statement by the wood industry.
- p. 4 <u>Poultry market organisation</u> : the problem of calculating export rebates for intra-Community trade.
  - COMECON : towards tighter financial integration.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2878 :

- p. 1 Simplification of customs formalities : profress so far.
- pp 1/2 British coal exports : the National Coal Board plans to increase its sales on the Community market.
- p. 2 <u>Coal prices :</u> unchanged prices for Ruhr coal accentuate the problem of the Belgian coal industry.
  - German energy policy : brief debate in the Bundestag.

\* The Week in Europe

\* EUROPE/Documents No. 193 : STATEMENT ISSUED BY THE COMMUNIST PARTIES OF THE SIX COMMON MARKET COUNTRIES

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Luxembourg, 1st April 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1519 :

- p. 1/2 <u>Community-thrid country relations</u> : the Council is to define the policy of the Community with regard to Iran, Isreal and Turkey.
- p. 2 Council of Ministers : general political debate tomorrow towards a package deal?
- pp 2/3 <u>Common agricultural policy</u>: declaration by the professional organisations of the Community (COPA).
- p. 3 Food and vegetable market organisation : two regulations concerning the control of standards are under preparation.
  - <u>Conflict between Community and hational legislation</u> : the Commission is planning to appeal to the Court of Justice.
- p. 4 Agricultural regulations : three new texts published in the Gazette.
  - Agricultural statistics : the Community Statistics Office calls for an improvement in national statistics.
  - Developping countries : written questions No. 5 and 6 from Mr. Pedini.
  - Latin America : new contacts made with the European Parliament.
- p. 5 Monetary Committee : next Friday, debate on international monetary problems.
  - E.E.C.-U.S. relations : Stevenson-Hallstein meeting.
  - Bilderberg meeting : declaration by Mr. Spaak.
  - Council of Ministers : no important decisions taken.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2879 :

- p. 1 Steel prices : further adjustments in the Italian prices for reinforcing rods.
   Trade Union meeting : discussion of the strike of the French miners.
  - German compensatory import tax : protest by the French fine steel producers.
- pp 1/2 Strike of the French miners : some coal users are running into trouble.
- p. 2 <u>Community coal industry</u>: the comparative development of workers' incomes and underground yields over the next few years.
- p. 3 <u>Pic iron production</u>: less iron ore and coke being used in the blast furnaces.
   <u>Metal transforming industries</u>: production progressing slowly by comparison of last year.

\* See over : The contents of a package deal.

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Luxembourg, 2nd April 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1520 :

- p. 1 <u>Council of Ministers</u> : agreement on the general principles of the common policy on vocation training.
  - <u>Megotiations with Isreal and Iran</u>: the Council of ministers adopts the mandate to be given to the Commission.
- pp 1/4 <u>Common agricultural policy</u>: Germany requests the revision of certain regulations.
- p. 4 <u>Preparation of the Kennedy negotiations</u> : long debate in the Council of Ministers.
- p. 2 Social security of foreign workers : the Executive's reply to question No. 177 from M. Vredeling.
- pp 2/3 <u>Fiscal burden of transport</u>: the Executive's reply to question No. 178 from M. Müller-Hermann.
- p. 3 <u>Exchange of young workers</u> : the Executive's reply to question No. 179 from Mr. Vals.
  - <u>Direct elections to the European Parliament</u> : evasive reply by the Councils to a parliamentary question.
  - Cost of the British negotiations : the Councils' reply to question No. 169 from Mr. Vals.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2880 :
- p. 1/2 <u>Mstal-processing industries</u> : slowing down in the rate of expansion.
  - Steel prices : alternations by Italian and Belgian firms.
    - German compensatory import tax : the Belgian steel producers' turn to protest.
    - Consultative Committee : separate meeting of the workers' representatives.
- p. 3 Direct elections to the European Parliament : evasive reply by the Councils to a parliamentary question.
  - <u>Coal industry</u> : no real change in the long term situation as a result of the increased demand this winter.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- p. 1 Future of the Community : interview with Mr. Colombo.
- pp 1/3 <u>Political debate in the Council</u>: the ministers study a possible "synchronisation" of Community decisions in order to get moving again.
  - \* See over : The Conditions for a Revival.

# Luxembourg, 3rd April 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1521 :

- pp 1/2 After the meeting of the Council : the improved admosphere has already produced concrete results - but the real difficulties are still to come.
- p. 1 "Eurosyndicat" Stock Exchange Index : 140.33 (+1.25%).
- p. 2 EEC-Austria relations : the Commission is to draw up a special report.
- pp 2/3 Association with the A.O.S. : all the problems in suspense have been solved.
- p. 3 <u>20% reduction in the external tariff</u>: it will be cancelled if the Community does not receive satisfactory concessions in exchange before 1966.
   Kennedy negotiations : the formal decision to participate will be taken in May.
- p. 4 Euratom : renewal of the Scientific and Technical Committee.
- pp 4/5 "Agricultural" meeting of the Council : the Council passes a regulation on the prefixation of cereal levies.
- p. 5 <u>EEC-Turkey association</u> : the final terms will be decided in May.
   M. Hallstein leaves for India tomorrow.
- p. 6 Interpenetration.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2881 :
- p. 1 <u>Luxembourg consumption of solide fuel</u> : considerable increase as a result of the hard winter.
  - <u>Consultative Committee</u> : the workers' representatives propose a discussion of the situation of the Community iron ore mines.
  - <u>Problems of the steel industry</u>: meeting between the High Authority and the representatives of the industry on Friday.
- p. 2 Iron ore cinters : rapid increase in production expected over the next few years.
- p. 3 Polish coal exports down.
  - American coal exports up.
    - World steel trade : reduction in the Community excess of exports over imports.
    - Mr. Woopen leaves Luxembourg.
      - \* See over : European revival the objectives.

Luxembourg, 4th April 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1521 :

- p. 1 Customs duties on petroleum products : the Commission has adopted a set of proposals to submit to the Council.
  - <u>Common transport policy</u> : the Commission is studying its draft regulations covering the first phase.
- pp 2/3 <u>Community-Great-Britain relations</u> : the Six have come close to defining a common position.
- p. 3 Application of the poultry regulation : battle of figures between the national experts.
- p. 4 <u>Organisation of the pork market</u> : the Special Agricultural Committee studies the possible application of the levy system to cut-up and preserved pork.
- p. 5 <u>20% Tariff reduction</u> : the text of the Community's decision renewing its previous offer.
  - German import prices : written question No. 9 by Mrs. Strobel.
  - Consumer price developments : written question No. 10 by Mrs. Strobel.
  - E.E.C.-Greece : the next session of the Council of Association will be devoted to the problems arising from the E.E.C.-Turkey negotiations.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2882 :

- p. 1 <u>Common energy policy</u>: the H.A. submits its draft protocol to the member governments.
  - French coal market : emergency coal measures extended till April 15th.
  - American scrap : the composite-price rises to 28,17 dollars.
- p. 2 New Belgian coal prices : attitude of the H.A.
  - German compensatory import tax : the H.A. requests further information.
  - European School at Luxembourg : tenth anniversary.
- p. 3 Aid for readaptation : H.A. measures in favour of German miners and steel workers.
  - French iron mine situation : written question No. 8 by Mr. Troclet-
  - Consultative Committee : next meeting to be held at Berlin on July 9th.

\* See over : The building of Europe will require an effort.

#### Luxembourg, 5th April 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1523 :

- p. 1 Franco-German Treaty : the German Government has decided to add a special preamble.
- pp 1/2 Breaking the deadlock : every member state will have to make concessions.
- p. 2 <u>Rules of competition</u>: the Commission to submit proposals for their application to the banking sector.
- p. 3 <u>Cereal imports</u>: no pre-fixation of import levies during July, August and September.
   <u>Agricultural regulations</u>: four additional texts published in the Gazette.
   Community vegetable trade: statistical report published by the Commission.
- p. 4 Irish economy : according to the OECD experts, it must be made more and more export oriented.
  - "Customs stand-still": the Commission accuses Belgium and Luxembourg of a breach of the Treaty.
- p. 5 Christian Democrat Union : a series of meetings to be held next week in Rome.
  - <u>Association with the A.O.S.</u>: the temporary measures decided on by the Council will be presented to the African ambassadors on April.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2883 :

- p. 1 French coal mine deficit : statement by Mr. Gardenet.
  - Community coal policy : the H.A. to define a new set of general objectives.
  - Steel prices : further changes in Italian price scales.
- pp 1/2 Iron ore production : the Consultative Committee to study the economic and social situation in the mines.
- p. 2 <u>Community coal production</u> : no increase in production as a result of strike by French miners.

- Belgian coal industry : further subsidies authorised by the H.A.

- pp 2/3 Parliamentary Energy Committee : to prepare a report on energy policy.
- p. 3 Steel industry : meeting between H.A. and industry representatives.

\* See over : Meeting at Ithaca - the United States and Europe.

## Luxembourg, 6th April 1963

+ In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1524 :

- p. 1 Lead and zinc : the gouvernmental experts resume their examination of the Commission's propoal
  - Workers' housing : the Commission to organise the colloquium.
  - Traffic in oil and petroleum products : the Commission has just published a map.
- pp 1/2 <u>Social questions</u> : Mr. Levi Sandri describes the Commission's programmes to the European Parliament.
- pp 2/3 <u>Association of the African States</u> : the texts of two internal agreements agreed on between the Six.
- p. 3 Free mouvement of labour : a vast programme of vocational training is called for.

+ In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2824 :

- pp 1/2 Russian coal industry : present situation and future prospects.
- p. 2 <u>Steel market</u>: the Community producers demand equality of conditions with foreign competitors.
  - E.C.S.C. administrative problems : the Commission of the four Chairmen is making a study.
  - Waterway network : the Rhône will be canalised by 1972.

..... in the Joint Supplement :

- Relations with the U.K. and "atlantic partnership" : interview with Mr. Monnet.

+ The Week in Europe

Luxembourg, 8th April 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1525 :

- p. 1 <u>Monetary Committee</u> : its annual report to be presented to the Commission tomorrow. - <u>E.E.C.-Greece Council</u> of Association : decisions with regard to Greek wines.
- pp 1/2 Association with the African states : further details with regard to its implementation.
- p. 2 <u>Inland navigation</u>: suggestions as to the rationalisation of transchipment operations.
  - Road transport : the improvement of frontier crossing conditions under study.
- pp 3/4 Euratom 6th General Report : the essential objective of the Research Programme is to make nuclear energy an economic proposition.
- pp 4/5 "Kennedy Negotiations" : for the moment, the E.E.C. will merely take a decision of principle and outline a few general ideas.
- p. 5 Trade Expansion Act : the U.S. will be ready to discuss the non-tariff aspects.
- p. 6 British political situation : the European question religated to the background.
   Euratom Research Programme : question No. 11 from M. de Malène to the Euratom Commission.
  - Spain : foreign investment facilitated.
  - "Eurospace" : towards a European space programme.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2885 :

- p. 1 Rolled steel products : orders looking up.
- pp 1/2 <u>C.I.S.L. (Free Trade Union</u>) : formation of a European Committee for the Metallurgical Industry.
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- p. 3 German compensatory import tax : Bonn called on to refrain from raising the rate until its compatibility with the rules of the Treaty has been established.
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- p. 2/3 Euratom 6th General Report : the prospects for nuclear energy and its role in the production of electricity.
- p. 3/4 Kennedy negotiations : towards a new formula for tariff reductions.
- p. 5 <u>Silk and silk waste</u> : Italy authorised by the Commission to continue to apply the safety measures.
  - European Communities' Prize : conditions of competition published in the Gazette.
  - Tariff quotas : first decisions with regard to agricultural products.
  - <u>Right of establishment</u> : new proposals by the Commission with regard to the processing and extractive industries.
  - <u>G.A.T.T.</u>: the preparatory work towards the Ministerial session in May continues.

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   Scrap perequation payments : H.A. decision published in the Gazette.
- p. 2/3 After the cold : the examination of the coal situation in the Community continues.
- p. 3 High Authority : publication of expenditure and receipts for 1962.
  - Common energy policy : the Technical Committee has fixed its programme of work.

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- p. 1/2 Community economic situation : the consequences of the cold spell
- p. 1 "Eurosyndicat" Stock Exchange Index : 140.92 (+0.30%).
- p. 2/3 <u>Circulation of capital</u> : suggestions by the Commission with regard to the abolition of administrative obstacles.
- p. 3/4 Common agricultural policy : the "difficulties" mentioned by Herr Schroeder.
- p. 4/5 <u>Buratom</u> : towards the creation of a department of fundamental research under Prof. Mössbauer.
- p. 5 Kennedy negotiations and the agricultural problem : statement by Mr. Mansholt following his visit to the U.S.
  - Mettalurgical industry : meeting of the EFTA liaison group.

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- p. 1 <u>H.A. loan</u> : agreement with a Belgian consortium with a view to floating a loan of 300 million francs.
- p. 1/2 Sheet steel : new orders satisfactory in March.
- p. 2 <u>Pig iron production</u>: fall by comparison with last year.
   <u>Iron ore mines</u>: the Parliamentary Committee for Research examines the situation.
- p. 3 <u>Ruhr coal prices</u> : one of the two sales organisations increases its scheduled prices - Aix-La-Chapelle coal prices : new increase.
  - Ruhr sales organisations : the industry finds the conditions imposed by the H.A. too onerous.

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- The Christian Democratic Parties and Europe.
- Mr. Mansholt's return from the U.S. : American is worried about the future political development of Europe.
- Agence "Europe" honoured by the Luxembourg Government.
  - \* See over : Synchronisation : the primary objective will be to catch up in certain sectors.

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- p. 1 <u>Tariff negotiations and the problems of competition</u>: Mr van der Groeben to visit the United States.
- p. 1/2 Prices of steel : alterations by Italian and Belgium firms.
- ppl/2 Lead and zinc : any Community solutions requires above all the good will of the Member States.
- p. 2 Aid to the African States : projects recently approved by FEDOM.
  - <u>Euratom 6th General Report</u> : the parliamentary committee for research to submit an opinion.
- p. 3 <u>Gas reactor projects</u> : great steps have been made towards to coordination of the various programms in the world.
- p. 4 <u>German aid for shipbuilding</u>: finally excepted by the Commission.
   <u>Aid to flying clubs</u>: no discrimination on the grounds of nationality.
  - Freeing of capital mouvements : Italy implements the directives of the E.E.C.
- p. 5 "Kennedy negotiations" : Mr Herter in Tokyo.
  - New Papal Encyclical : the Council of Europe expresses its aprouval.
  - The Labour Party and Europe : will they assume the leadership of the European Left.

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- p. 1 Iron ore supplies : results of prospecting in West Africa.
  - American scrap : the Composite price remains at 28.17 dollars.
- p. 2 <u>Common energy policy</u>: the Council of Ministers examin the political choices involved. - <u>Energy situation in the Community</u>: forecastshave been revised following the long cold spell.
- p. 3 <u>American steel prices</u> : how will President Kennedy react to the price rises announced by Wheeling Steel
  - Ruhr coal : Bavarian protests against the increase in price.
    - + See over : The synchronised programme : external relations and institutional problems.

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- p. 2 <u>Right of establishment in the mining industries</u> : proposals by the European Commission.
- p. 3 <u>State expenditure on agriculture</u> : the Commission's reply to question No. 180 from Mrs. Strobel.
  - A-Bomb tests in Algeria : written question No. 12 by Mr. Nederhorst.
  - Common transport policy : written question No. 13 by Mr Kapteyn.
  - Financing of workers' housing : written question No. 14 by Mr Vredeling.

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- <u>E.E.C.-U.K. relations</u> : Sir Douglas Walter O'Neil to be head of the British mission to the E.E.C.
- Euratom research and investment budget (1963) : published in the Gazette.
- Levy system for cut-up pork : the coming into force for the new system postponed till July 1st.
- Benelux and the Common Market : the structure of Benelux within the E.E.C. will be studied by the 17th Benelux Economic Conference.
- Delegation of Indian economists arrive in Brussels to study European Integration.
- M. Heinz Krekeler visits the C.N.E.N. Casaccia centre.
- p. 5 <u>Information on agriculture</u>: the Commission is in favour of the creation of a system of statistical information.
  - <u>E.E.C.-Swiss relations</u> : according to Mr. Wahlen, the Swiss request for association with the E.E.C. reflects her double concept of neutrality and solidarity.
  - Tariff negotiations : declaration by Mr Couve de Murville in Tokyo.
- p. 6 Interpenetration.

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- p. 2/3 <u>Future development of the demand for energy</u> : rapid reduction in specific consumption.
- p. 3 British coal exports : the N.C.B.continues its offensive on the Community market.
   American steel industry : four more companies increase their prices.

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  - Appreciable rise of the "Eurosyndicat"index : 143.66 as against 140.92 (+1.95%).
- pp 1/2 <u>The Economic situation</u> : the European Commission persists in its optimism but calls for the adoption of certain policy measures.
- p. 3 <u>Nuclear security control</u>: satisfactory Euratom report for 1962-1963.
   <u>Prefixation of cereal levies</u>: Council regulation published in the Gazette.
   <u>Export rebates for cereal products</u>: recent decision by the E.E.C. Commission.
- p. 4 Freeing of industrial and craft activities : the Commission's proposals.
- p. 5 F.E.D.O.M.: recent activity.
   Community regulation of quality wines : written question No. 7 by Mr. Hans Richart
- pp 5/6 Italian butter imports : the Commission examines the justification of complains made in the light of article 111.
- p. 6 <u>Kennedy negotiations</u> : details of the American proposals. - <u>COMECON</u> : fifth session opens to-day.
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- p. 1 <u>Anti-Dumping action by the United-States</u> : agreement between European and Japanese steel exporters?
  - M. Ponti to be the new representative of the Italian steel industry in Luxembourg
- p. 2 <u>Iron ore</u>: the United Nations E.C.E. to make a study of the state of the World Market.
- pp 2/3 Future energy needs (II) : the situation in Germany and Italy.
- **p.** 3 <u>Sales by alignment</u>: protest by a Dutch steel firm with regard to the publication of certain statistics.
  - American steel industry : U.S. Steel has also increased its prices.
    - \* See over : <u>Mr André Philip calls for a European Minister of Economic</u> <u>Affairs</u>.

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- p. 1 Community Programme for 1963 : the German draft will not be ready before tomorrow evening.
  - Community-U.S relations: Messrs. Marjolin, Rey and Von der Groeben are off to America.
  - Kennedy negotiations : the Council may grant a mandate to the Commission.
- p. 2 Euratom : opening of negotiations with the U.K.A.E.A. and the Italian C.N.E.N. in connection with the retreatment of nuclear fuel.
- p. 3 Student exchanges between the Six : the Commission's draft programme.
   Nuclear fuel retreatment : principal point on the agenda of the Consultative Committee for Nuclear Research.
  - Retreatment of irradiated fuels : symposium organised by Eurochemic and the European Nuclear Energy Agency.
- p. 4 Excise duties on coffee, sugar, beer : state of progress as regards the elimination of disparities.
  - Synthetic rubber manufacture : new tariff quotas in favour of Italy.
  - Resignation of Prof. Hallstein's "Chef de cabinet" : to take effect as from April 22nd.
  - Council of Europe : declaration by the Economic Committee on the E.E.C. U.K./ Turkey/Cyprus/Israel relations.
- p. 5 Euratom-U.K. : Britain to provide 45 kg of plutonium for the Community's rapid reactor programme.
  - Trade in cereal products : Commission publication for the years 1961 and 1962.
  - Europe and the notion of competition : Mr. Kefauver observes that European authorities are still attached to the principle.
  - Reduction of the levy on certain parts of poultry : the rate of conversion to be fixed at 60 % instead of 75 %.

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  - E.C.S.C.-Greece : Mr. Wehrer back from his visit.
  - Steel prices : new schedule announced.
  - American scrap : the composite-price established at 28.17 dollars.
- p. 2 H.A. members' place of residence : the Executive's reply to question No. 181 by Mr. De Block.
  - Steel production : fall more marked for fine and special steels than for ordinary.
  - American steel industry : Sen. Kefauver's fears as to the effect of recent price increases on American competitivity.
  - Low-price steel imports : meeting between H.A. experts and representatives of the Community steel industry.
- p.3 Coal imports by Germany : increased consumption by power stations and gas works the reason.
  - French coal : c on sumer stocks situation.
  - Coal and steel statistics : new Community publication.

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- p. 1 <u>Economic and Social Committee</u> : the Community Programme of Action and energy policy dominate the agenda for the May session.
  - <u>New rates of compensatory import taxes into Germany</u> : today multilateral consultation between the Member States and the European Commission.
- p. 2 GATT preparations for tariff negotiations : first report on US proposals.
  - <u>COPA committee</u> : talks with M. Mansholt on Tuesday on progress made in agricultural policy.
- p. 3 Social transport policy : the European Commission preparing for the "Round Table" to establish a harmonisation time table to be drawn up.
  - U.K. G.A.T.T. : the U.K. will no longer invoke the application of Art. XXXV with regard to Japan.
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  - Brussels and the European district : the Belgian state wants to keep the Etterbeek plain in case that question comes up again.
- p. 5 <u>Railway sea-port rates</u> : written question No. 2 by Mr. Kalbitzer to the EEC-Commission.
  - <u>Health protection</u> : the "ad hoc" committee asks Mr Bergmann to draft a report on the Euratom activities.
  - Intra-community cattle and swine trade : favorable opinion from the ESC's specialised section on Commission's draft directive.

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  - <u>Cheap imports</u> : steel producers discuss measures to be taken to deal with cheap imports with the High Authority.
- p. 2 <u>Reduction of the tax on fuel oils</u> : the Gouvernement of Nordrhein-Westfalen opposed to it.
  - Exports of old pig-iron and wasts of new iron : modification of their system, necessity of a control certificate.
  - The German steel industry and the increase of American steel prices : world market "unlikely to be affected".
  - <u>Heath protection</u>: E.P. Committee asks the H.A. for more extensive action in this field.
- p. 3 <u>Court of Justice</u> : proceedings in the lawsuits between the H.A. and the Italian steel companies and Mme Schlieker respectively.
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- p.. 2 <u>Harmonisation of pharmaceutical products laws</u> : a sub-committee of the ESC has studied the EEC Commission's directive
- p. 3 <u>Mechanising agriculture in the EEC</u> : the amount of investments varies a lot from state to state, with Germany first and Italy last.
  - Euratom list of Euratom nuclear plants : new edition published by the Euratom Commission going up to January 1st.
  - <u>Railway and postal traffic</u> : extraordinary European conference to co-ordinate the time-tables.

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- p. 1 <u>Setting a new rate of the ECSC levy</u> : the High Authority will consult EP members in May.
- p. 2 Work on the European miner's statute : interesting suggestion by Mr Bosio to break the actual deadlock
  - European energy problems : Council of Europe economic commission report.

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- <u>Television speach by General de Gaulle</u> : confirmation of his antipathy for the idea of supra-nationality.

\* The Week in Europe.

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- p. 1 <u>Community programme for the coming 12 months</u> : initial exchange of views between the Permanent Representatives.
  - <u>Application of the "Banana" protocol</u> : Germany asks for a tariff quota of 472,000 tons for 1963.
- p. 2 <u>Association of dependent overseas territories</u> : the conditions will shortly be defined by the Six.
  - Agricultural insurance in the member states : costing study carried out by the Commission.
  - <u>Dr Mansholt in London</u> : the head of the Dept. of Agriculture will speak to the Country Landowners' Association.
- p. 3 Common agricultural policy : questions 16 to 19 by Mr Vredeling.
- p. 4 Weights and dimensions of road vehicles : professional circles are in favour of an extension of the Commission's proposals.
- p. 5 British agricultural policy : H.M.G. faced with an awkward decision. - German compensatory tax : further meeting on May loth.

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- pp 2/3 Steel production : further increase for finished products in 1962. - British crap exports : low prices discourage British traders.

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- Energy policy : statement by the Belgian oil federation.
- <u>Transport problems</u> : the Railways deny using unfair methods of competition vis-à-vis water transport.
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- p. 1 Professor Hallstein to visit London May 24 26th.
- pp 1/2 <u>Community Working Programme</u>: the content of the German proposals begins to become clear.
- p. 2 <u>Luxembourg and European integration</u>: Luxembourg is ready to give up some of its sovereignty to the European Community.
  - <u>U.K.-Denmark discussions</u> : possible reduction of British customs duties on certain agricultural products.
  - <u>Mr Kristensen at Rome</u>: discussion with the Italian government on the possibility of increasing cooperation within 0.E.C.D..
- p. 3 <u>Special Agricultural Committee</u> : progress limited as long as the Community's Working Programme is not fixed.
- pp 4/5 Kennedy negotiations : the respective positions of the E.E.C. and the U.S.
- p. 5 <u>Strengthening of the dollar</u> : Mr Alfred Hayes calls for the encouragement of foreign investment.
  - Latin America-Common Market : Europe must adopt a liberal trading policy.
  - Greek poultry production : American technical aid.
- p. 6 <u>Common agricultural policy</u> : COPA lays down the conditions for future progress.
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- pp 1/2 Energy supplies : the H.A. expoerts contest the conclusions of the European coal producers.
- p. 2 <u>Common Energy policy</u>: the synchronised working programme of the EEC provides for the tackling of this problem.
  - Community iron ore mines : differencies of the output per shift.
- p. 3 Coal situation : reduced consumer: stocks.
  - <u>German compensatory import tax</u> : Luxembourg experts are studying the effects of the recent rate increases.
  - Community steel industry : rate of utilisation of capacity in the six countries.
    - \* See over : Adenauerism will not be succeeded by Erhardism.
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- pp 1/2 Community Programme : the Permanent Representatives have decided on the basic oriteria to be used.
- p. 1 Eurosyndicat share index : weakening from 142.22 to 143.81 (-1.10%).
  - 2 <u>Agricultural problems in the U.K. and Holland</u> : written questions Nos 21 and 22 by Mr Vredeling.
    - Economic and Social Committee : opening of the Plenary session.
    - EEC-Turkey : legal examination of the clauses covering the passage from the preparatory to the transitional stage.
- p. 3 Tariff quotas for agricultural products : series of Commission decisions.
  - EEC-Turkey association : the two parties attempt to find solutions for all the minor problems still outstanding.
- pp 3/4 <u>Transitional measures in favour of the associated African states</u> : new Commission proposals in preparation.
- p. 4 Brandy production : written question No. 20 by Mr Lens.
- p. 5 <u>State aid for agricultural mechanisation</u>: conclusions of study by Commission experts.
  - Intra-Community agricultural trade 1957-61 : the Commission replies to question No.182 by Mr Pleven with statistics.
  - <u>Commission Directorate General for Agriculture</u> : a new organigramme has been applied.
- p. 6 Interpenetration.
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- p. 1 <u>Steel prices</u> : reduced prices for carburated ferromanganese.
   Energy policy : work programme for the Committee of Experts.
- p. 2 H.A. ideas on energy policy : under fire from Mr Burckhardt.
  - Ruhr coal selling organisations : the need is felt for a new consultative committee.
  - Social security arrangements in the U.K. : both contributions and benefits are lower than the Community.

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- Congress on "Ten Years Experience" by the European Communities: Court of Justice opens in Cologne
- <u>Council of Europe</u> : the spring session of the Consultative Assemblee begins on May 6th.

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Luxembourg, 25th April 1963

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   E.E.C.-Austria association : German maintains that this is a special case.
- pp 1/2 <u>Euratom</u>: the Consultative Committee gives its opinion on the Mossbauer project and on the treatment of irradiated fuel.
- p. 2 <u>Rapprochement of cereal prices</u> : the German attitude means new difficulties for the common agricultural policy.
- p. 3 European Development Fund : the situation as at 1st April.
- pp 3/4 Weights and dimensions of road vehicles : the Commission has put the finishing touches to its proposals.
- p. 4 E.C.N.R. : international conference on sector cyclotrons and meson-factories.
- pp 4/5 Economic and Social Committee : opinions given on health pharmaceutical and road vehicle legislation.
- p. 5 E.E.C.-Israel relations : M Emile Roche at Tel Aviv.
  - A European ministry called for in Holland.
  - Kennedy negotiations : according to Mr Blumenthal, the EEC proposals are quite unacceptable.
- p. 6 Scholarships for African students : Commission report covering 1961-1962.

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  - American sorap : the composite-price still at 28.17 dollars the ton.
- pp 2/3 The European coal problem : the Economic Committee for the Consultative Assembly calls for indirect subsidies.
- p. 3 Council of Ministers : the agenda for the meeting of the 2nd May.
  - Development of Indian steel capacity : the European steel industry is getting worried.
    - French coal situation : the Government has abolished the exceptional measures.
      - \* See over : Synchronisation dynamic force or tacit acceptance of a stand-still?

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- p. 2 <u>Aid to developping countries</u> : the CAD studies the 1963 programmes of OECD member states and the problem of untied aid.
- p. 3 Orientation and Development Fund : the Parliamentary Committee for Agriculture prepares an opinion.
  - <u>Common policy for lead and zinc</u> : Commission's reply to question No. 183 by Mr Vredeling.
- pp 3/4 Euratom : the biological research programme approved by the Consultative Committee for Research.
- p. 4 <u>Untied aid</u>: introduction into relations with the associated African states.
- p. 5 G.B.-Denmark negotiations : tough going.
  - Car industry : Mr Valletta (of Fiat) calls for special safeguards.
  - Comecon : creation of a central bank.
  - European currency : lecture by Mr Poher.

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- p. 1 <u>Investment declarations</u> : three formal opinions by the H.A.
  - Technical research : the H.A. defines its policy.
    - Electric sheet : Cockerill-Ougree halt production.
    - <u>Steel market situation</u> : the ad hoc committee to make definite proposals by May 15th.
- pp 1/2 Coal cutting machine : the H.A. agrees to finance the cost of development.
- p. 2 Thyssen-Phoenix merger : the H.A. decision is expected by mid-May.
- pp 2/3 Readaptation : further cases of H.A. aid.

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- Community-G.B. relations : under examination by the parliamentarians of W.E.U.
- <u>Community-U.S. negotiations</u>: Mr Mansholt's pessimism about the future if they should fail.
  - \* See over : <u>One of the consequences of the orisis in the Community has</u> been - the strengthening of EFTA. -
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- p. 1 <u>European Bank</u> : the Commission gives its approval to the financing of four new investment projects.
  - <u>Chemical industry problems</u> : meeting between the Commission and representatives of the Industry.
- pp 1/2 Borschette Plan (for the Synchronised Programme) : it is clear that the contact procedures with the British will have to be settled first.
- p. 2 Agricultural price policy : list of problems to be submitted to the Council drawn up by the Special Agricultural Committee.
- p. 3 <u>Situation on the German poultry market</u> : no solution in sight to the Franco-Dutch guarrel.

- Kennedy negotiations : some suggestions by Mr Wyndham White.

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- p. 1 Energy policy : the special committee is to present its report by the end of October.
  - Luxembourg steel : ARBED is optimistic about future steel consumption.
- pp 1/2 Transport policy : agreement in the Parliamentary Committee.
- p. 2 Technical research for iron mining : the H.A. defines its policy.
  - H.A. : publication of the Auditors' Report.

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- Mr Edward Heath to receive the Charlemagne Prize.
- European defence system : the only way out of the present deadlock, according to Mr. Pflimlin.
- <u>Court of Justice</u> : possible reforms of procedure being studied by the Cologn Congress.

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- p. 1 "Synchronised Programme" : details as to the question of external relations which are to be given priority.
  - Euratom research worker arrested in the U.K.
- p. 3 Processed pork and the levy system : some progress but several technical problems to be settled by the Special Agricultural Committee.
  - Development of nuclear energy : the Euratom Commission is thinking of holding a symposium on the economic aspects.
- p. 4 EEC Associated African states : the representatives of the Six to discuss the "interim arrangements" with the AOS ambassadors.
  - <u>Spatial research</u> : disagreement over whether Euratom should be represented in the various European organisations.
- pp 4/5 Regional policy : written question No. 23 by Mr. Vredeling.
- p. 5 <u>Oereal target prices for the coming farming year</u> : details of the German proposals are still awaited.
  - EEC-Switzerland : statement by Mr Jolles.
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- p. 1 <u>Iron ore extraction</u> : continuous decline in production plus rapid reduction in working force.
  - ECSC-Iran : the new head of the Iranian Mission presents his letters of oredence to Mr Coppé.
  - <u>Perequation of French water transport rates</u> : the H.A. allows the coefficient to to raised from 0.85 to 0.95.
- p. 2 <u>Technical research in the steel industry</u> : the H.A. considers the objective must be the reduction of production costs.
  - German metallurgical industry : the workers of Bad-Wurtembourg on strike.

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Luxembourg, 30th April 1963

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- p. 1 Draft Synchronised Programme : the Steps to be taken with a view to strengthening the Community internally.
  - <u>Communist products</u> : Italy free from the obligation to apply Community treatment to certain products.
- p. 2 CET duties for oil products : work to be speeded up.
  - EEC-UK : London keen on seeing a contact procedure set up.
  - Common transport policy and the Rhine problem : the Commission asks for an exchange of views with the Council.
- p. 3 Processed agricultural products : the Commission experts study the various solutions for the problem of competitive distortions.
  - GATT Ministerial meeting : preparatory work completed.
- p. 4 State aid in agriculture : Commission report to the Council.
  - Court of Justice : Italy taken to court in connection with the tax on imported cotton.
  - GATT : the Benelux renounces the used of article XXXV with regard to Japan.
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- p. 1 <u>Synchronised Working Programme</u>: the problems of institutional strengthening and energy policy.
- pp 1/2 Delivered prices for flat steel : comparative situation as on April 1st.
- p. 2 ECSC Brazil : the Brazilian Government wants to establish a diplomatic mission to the Community.
  - Coal situation : recision of the 1963 estimates.
- pp 2/3 H.A. 11th Annual Progress Report : the points studied by the Internal Market Committee of the European Parliament
- p. 3 Thyssen-Phoenix-Rheinrohr merger : favourable decision of principle by the H.A.
  - German miners to domand wage increase.
  - H.A. 1962 financial report : situation satisfactory.
  - Strike by German metallurgical workers : employers decide lock-out.
  - New industrial undertakings : new publication by the H.A.

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- <u>Nuclear energy</u>: the coal producers of Western Europe do not agree that nuclear generated electrical energy will be competitive by 1970.
  - \* See over : The Working Programme and the problem of acceleration.
  - \* EUROPE/Documents No. 200 : "GOING INTO EUROPE" : SOME BRITISH AT-TITUDES.

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	* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1542 :
p. 1	- <u>Synchronised Working Programme</u> : the views of the European Commission. - <u>Eurosyndicat index</u> : 141.68 as against 142.22 (-0.36%)
pp 2/3	- Right of Establishment and free provision of Services : summary of state of prog- ress over the whole field.
p. 3	- <u>Customs classification</u> : third international edition published by the Statistical Office of the European Communities.
p. 4	<ul> <li>Fruit and vegetable regulation : reference prices fixed for plums and peaches for the period May '63 to May '64.</li> <li>Aid to the associated African states : two financing conventions signed, three tenders issued.</li> <li><u>EEC-Austria</u> : the Council must decide whether Austria is a special case or not.</li> </ul>
p. 5	<ul> <li><u>EEC-Algeria</u>: the July 1st tariff cut is forcing the Six to reopen the Algerian file.</li> <li><u>EFTA Council</u>: pessimism in London.</li> <li><u>Italian butter quotas in favour of other member states</u>: the Commission presents its motivated opinion to the Italian Government.</li> <li><u>EEC-US</u>: meeting between Messrs Marjolin &amp; Rey and President Kennedy.</li> <li>French tariffs : certain duties are reduced by 10%.</li> </ul>
р. б	- Interpenetration. * In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2902 :
p. 1	<ul> <li>OKU - SOREMA : the links between the Société rhénane d'exploitation and the Ober- rheinische Kohlenunion must disappear by June 30th.</li> <li>Fire-gas problem : one day conference.</li> <li>Belgian coal problem : COBECHAR replies to the H.A. criticisms of its price increases</li> <li>American scrap : the composite-price strengthens to 28.83 dollars per ton.</li> </ul>
p. 2	- High Authority : resignation of <u>President Malvestiti</u> . - <u>Steel market situation</u> : the Council of Ministers examine the situation.
p. 3	<ul> <li><u>Senior Officials' Committee</u> : its object must be to prepare the decisions to be made with regard to the common energy policy.</li> <li><u>Tariff measures for the 2nd half of 1963</u> : changes affecting vanadium and titanium pig-iron, coils and magnetic sheet.</li> </ul>
	and the Joint Supplement :

- U.S.-Luxembourg : the Grand Duchess visits Washington.

- After the Italian general election : Mr Malvestiti not elected but to resign from the H.A. Mr Caron having been elected must thus leave the Commission.
- Mr Willy Brandt becomes a member of the Monnet Committee.
- GATT : Mr Swaminathan appointed advisor for questions of economic development several African states become Contracting Parties.

\* See over : The Socialists and Europe.

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\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1543 :

- p. 1 <u>EEC-India</u> : India asks that the measures agreed on in the course of the Brussels negotiations to be put into effect.
  - EEC-Latin America : global approach or Contact Groups?
- pp 1/2 <u>Turnover tax harmonisation</u>: the Parliamentary Economic and Financial Committee approves the general bent of the Commission's proposals.
- p. 2 <u>GATT Ministerial meeting</u> : the Council of Representatives completes the preparatory work.
- p. 3 President Hallstein : the composition of his personal Cabinet.
  - <u>Provision of services in agriculture and forestry</u> : the experts of the Six are in favour of faster liberation.
  - African economic development : the Commission plans to issue a series of studies.
- p. 4 <u>Coffee, cocca, bananas</u> : study by INRA on future development of demand.
   Rhine traffic : slight reduction in 1962.
- p. 5 <u>Tied aid to the African states</u> : reciprocal measures by other countries would seem indicated.
  - "Raptus" self-fertilising reactor : contract to be signed shortly.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2903 :

- p. 1 ECSC levy : H.A. in favour of maintaining the present rate of 0.2%
- p. 2 <u>Baden-Wurtembourg strikes</u> : the Unions of the Six support the German metallurgical industry workers.
  - European miner's statute : the Free Unions of the Six demand the immediate convocation of the Mixed Committee for the Coal Industry.
  - <u>Revised 1963 coal estimates</u> : to be examined by the Consultative Committee at the end of May.
- p. 3 Spongy iron and Renn loops : customs duties to remain unchanged.
  - Technical research : Council of Ministers gives a confirmative opinion.
    - Ruhr coal sales organisations : Mr Nederhorst asks the Dutch Government to take the matter before the Court of Justice.
    - Energy policy : expert committee to examine the basic hypotheses of the Executives' Memorandum.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- <u>Council of Europe</u> : Mr Pflimlin, in the name of the Political Committee, calls for a constructive attitude to the Kennedy negotiations and a European nuclear defence force.

\* See over : Great Britain and the defence of Europe. -

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- p. 1 EEC-Iran : negotiations to open on May 6th.
  - <u>Preparations for the Kennedy negotiations</u> : Industry replies to the Commission questionnaire.
- pp 1/2 <u>Lead and zinc</u>: the experts of the Six examine the Emergency Programme proposed by the Commission for the third time.
- p. 2 <u>Parliamentary Committee of Agriculture</u> : exchange of views with Mr Mansholt on the prospects for the Kennedy negotiations.
  - <u>Diversion of trade between the EEC and EFTA</u> : warning from Mr Lagerfelt, head of the Swedish Mission to the Community.
- pp 2/3 Cost of agricultural credit : a Commission study reveals wide differences between the member states.
- p. 3 Euratom : association between the Community and the Karlsruhe Research Centre for research into rapid reactors.
  - <u>Synchronised Working Programme</u> : relations with the UK and Austria the principal topics discussed at yesterday's meeting of the Permanent Representatives.
  - Association negotiations with Turkey : consultations between Greece and the EEC.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2904 :

- p. 1 <u>Steel market situation</u>: exchange of views between the H.A. and the parliamentary Economic and Financial Committee.
  - <u>Dutch</u> application of the transport policy recommendation : the H.A.'s observations to the Netherlands Government.
  - German railways : extension of the Bundesbahn's special rates.
- p. 2 French iron mines : the H.A.'s reply to Mr Troclet's question No 8.

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\* EUROPE/Documents No 196 : TOWARDS A COMMUNITY VOCATIONAL TRAINING POLICY : THE "GENERAL PRINCIPLES" ADOPTED BY THE EEC COUNCIL OF MINISTERS

#### Luxembourg, 6th May 1963

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- p., 1 <u>Nationalisation of the Italian electricity industry</u> : Italy denies any incompatibility with the Treaty of Rome.
  - Prospects for the EFTA Council meeting : London now more optimistic.
- p. 2 <u>Maritime fishing industry</u>: London revives the idea of a European Conference. - <u>Opening of the fifteenth session of the Consultative Assembly</u>: Mr Pierre Pflimlin is elected chairman.
- p. 3/4 <u>GATT ministerial meeting</u>: the Council is to define the Community position on the Kennedy negotiations this Thursday.
- p. 4 Petroleum stocks : report being prepared.
- p. 5 <u>Trade Expansion Act</u>: the United States submits an explanatory document to the European Parliament.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2905 :

- pp 1/2 <u>Coal consumption prospects</u>: the Consultative Committee will examine the situation resulting from the severity of last winter at the end of May.
- p. 2 British steel exports : accusations of dumping on the Continent denied.
- p. 3 Low price steel imports : discussion between the H.A. and the Chairman of the Steel Federations of the Six.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- Death of Mr Jacobsen, Director of the I.M.F.
- European Parliament : agenda for next week's plenary session.
- European Parliament : draft resolution calling for the extension of Parliament's powers.
  - \* See over : On defining a method for reducing tariffs. -
  - \* EUROPE/Documents No 197 : NEW DEPARTURE FOR THE EEC FOLLOWING THE CRISIS

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- \* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1546 :
- p. 1/2 <u>Synchronised Working Programme</u> : faced with numerous reservations, the Permanent Representatives have failed to agree on a common text.
- p. 2 <u>Community position on Kennedy negotiations</u> : disagreement between France and the rest of the Community.
- p. 3 <u>Council of Ministers</u> : the Kennedy negotiations and the Working Programme will dominate this week's session.

- Comitextil : Mr Schilling elected President of the bureau.

- p. 4 <u>Dutch tariff quotas for lead and zinc</u> : Commission's reply to question No. 184 by Mr Blaisse.
- p. 5 <u>Community policy towards developping countries</u> : Commission's reply to question No. 5 by Mr Pedini.

- <u>Parliamentary Agricultural Committee</u> : Mr Mansholt deplores the probable delay in applying certain agricultural regulations.

- p. 6 <u>Trade Expansion Act</u>: analysis of the American paper submitted to the European Parliament (II).
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2906 :
- p. 1 Steel market : price rises expected.
- pp 1/2 The problem of mergers : series of studies undertaken by the H.A.
- p. 2 <u>High Authority/steel industry representatives</u> : further details on the state of the steel industry called for.
- p. 3 German metallurgical industry : Erhard mediation ends strike.
  - Dumping: a Belgian firm convicted of dumping wire rod on the US market.
  - Dutch gas : common sales organisation set up.

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- Strengthening of Parliamentary powers : new rallying cry for the Europeans?

- Council of Europe : resignation of Mr Benvenuti as Secretary General.

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- p, 1/2 <u>Community prosition on the Kennedy negotiations</u> : modified or simple linear reduction? - the technical and political aspects of the problem.
- p. 1 "Eurosyndicat" : 143.27 against 141.68 last week.
- p. 2 <u>Pork levies</u> : the Commission seems to be in favour of granting the request for a reduction.
  - <u>Council of Ministers</u> : opening of the session some minor decisions taken.
- p. 3 Monetary Committee 5th Annual Report : appeal for further harmonisation of member states! monetary policies.
  - EEC-Mauretania : the new ambassador received by Mr Hallstein.
- p. 4 Social aspects of the common agricultural policy : the Commission is hoping to put into practice the conclusions of the Rome Conference.
  - <u>Regional development</u> : the documents of the Conference on Regional Economies to be published.
  - "Euratom News" : new publication giving a complete guide to all scientific and technical activity and research being carried out.
  - Competition : 8th Congress of the League against Unfair Competition held at Stresa.
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- p. 1 <u>April coal production</u>: figures up in all member states except France and Italy in comparison with 1962.
- pp 1/2 Labour costs and real incomes : results of annual enquiry by Statistical Office of the Communities.
- p. 2 German compensatory import tax : too late to save the iron mines?
- pp 2/3 April steel production : slight decline by comparison with March.

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- p. 1 Mr Caron resigns as Vice-President of the European Commission.
  - Common transport policy : the Commission adopts the first draft regulations on road traffic quotas.
- pp 1/2 <u>Council of Ministers</u> : preparation of the Community position on the Kennedy negotiations.
- p. 3 German compensatory tax : written question No. 4 by Mr. Vanrullen.
  - Common external tariff : modifications granted by the Council at German request.
- p. 4 FEDOM and tied aid : Commission's reply to question No 6 by Mr Pedini.
  - EURATOM : the representatives of Ireland and the Upper Volta visit Mr Schaus;
  - <u>EURATOM</u> : the Commission communication to firms interested in submitting tenders in connection with work at the Karlsruhe institute.
  - EEC Latin America : majority of member states favourable to the creation of groups of contact.
  - Conference of European Ministers of Transport : 9th Annual Report.
- p. 5 Compensatory tax on food imports : further decisions by the Commission.
  - EEC-Turkey association agreement : the Council of Ministers has at last defined the Community position.
  - EFTA Ministerial meeting : Anglo-Danish agreement on butter.

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- p. 1 <u>Adaptation of the ECSC Treaty</u> : the Parliamentary Internal Market Committee adopts the Kreyssig and Nederhorst Reports.
  - American scrap : the composite-price up to 29.17 dollars.
- p. 2 Perequation frauds : Dutch crisis criticisms.
  - Saar coal industry : new mine to go into production.
  - Coal consumed by the producer : no turnover tax payable in Germany.
  - Dumping in the U.S. : the American steel industry claims to have been adversely affected.
- p. 3 Crude steel : consumption per head of population.
  - Electrical energy : imports by members of the Community.
    - \* See over : This equivocal state of affairs cannot go on for ever.

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- p. 1/2 <u>Council of Ministers</u> : immediate objectives defined with regard to the common agricultural policy and preparations for the Kennedy negotiations.
- p. 2/3 Second Community Working Programme : to include all the questions left unsettled.
- p. 3/4 <u>Community position on the Kennedy negotiations</u> : significance and importance of the decisions reached.
- p. 4 <u>Agricultural imports from 3rd countries</u> : new partial tariff suspensions.
   EFTA Council meeting : agreement on accelerated tariff reductions seems in sight.
- p. 5 <u>Problems of European integration</u> : colloquium organised by the Political Science faculties of Italian universities.
  - Sulphur industry : the EEC Committee for the industry visits Sicily.
  - Dodeward atomic power station : the Euratom Commission's reply to written question No 11 by Mr de la Malène.

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- p. 1/2 Lohberg coal cutter : possible importance of this project for increasing the output, per shift in Community mines.
- p. 2 Consultative Assembly : the Kershaw Report on European energy problems adopted.
- p. 2/3 Ruhr coal selling organisations : a controller to be appointed.
- p. 3 ATIC : Mr Daum confirmed as controller.
  - Mr Malvestiti resigns as President and member of the H.A.

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- p. 1 <u>Community position on the Kennedy negotiations</u> : integral text of the Council decision.
- pp 2/3 <u>Community Working Programme</u> : the state of progress on the various agricultural problems to be solved.
- p. 3 <u>Ispra</u>: Mr Furio Zampetti named head of the Administrative Division.
   <u>Preparation for the agricultural Council</u>: the Special Agricultural Committee to meet next week in Brussels.
  - EFTA Council : all tariffs to be abolished by 1966.

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- p. 1 American coal exports : Western Europe remains the best market.
- pp 1/2 <u>Coal problems</u> : producers and traders analysis the lessons to be learnt from last winter.
- p. 2 Wire rod : rapid decline in German exports.
  - European Parliament : the H.A. submits its 11th General Report.
  - Coal-oil struggle : Lord Robens expects the situation to improve by 1970.
  - German river transport : market decline in number of boats operating.

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- p. 1 <u>Common transport policy</u>: summary of the Commission proposals to be examined by the Council on June 1<sup>4</sup>th.
  - German compensatory import taxes : to come into force on June 6th the Commission will probably make a recommendation to the German Governement.
- p. 2 Association Convention and the A.O.S. : the 18 African members give their agreement to the transition measures and request the signature in June.
  - <u>Nil duties on tea and tropical products</u> : consultations between the EEC. the UK and the Associated African states.
  - Escaut-Rhine canal link : signature of the Belgo-Dutch agreement.
  - Euratom : Ispra critical of the rejection of the Mossbauer project.
- p. 3 Liberaton of certain agricultural products : new decisions by the Commission.
   Free Trade Unions : Brussels meeting defines attitude on Kennedy negotiations, relations with British T.U.'s and the European Commission.
  - Wool and electrical engineering industries : analytical study by the EEC.
  - Oil : the Italian ENI affirms its policy unchanged.
- p. 4 <u>EFTA Council meeting</u>: text of the official communiqué.
   Tariff negotiations: latest developments on the eve of the GATT meeting.
- p. 5 Interpenetration.
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  - ILO : the Iron and Steel Committee will hold its next meeting in Cardiff.
- pp 1/2 <u>Spanish steel tariff increases</u> : the Community studies possible measures of reprisal.
- p. 2 <u>Community steel mines</u> : the labour situation. - <u>ECSC Coordination Committee</u> : the meeting on May 22nd will discuss the steel market situation.
- p. 3 British finished steel consumption : the figures for the 1st quarter 1963 is down 4.2% on 1962.

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- European Parliament : the plenary session opens with a statement from Mr Chatenet, the President of Euratom.
  - \* See over : Synchronisation and its consequences.

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- p. 1/2 Economic situation in the Community : the recent recovery raises hopes that the losses caused by the winter will soon be made good.
- p. 2/3 <u>Kennedy negotiations</u>: the Commission still seems opposed to the straight forward linear method for tariff reductions.
  - p. 3/4 <u>Pharmaceutical products</u>: the resolution adopted by the Parliament on the harmonisation of national laws.
  - p. 4/5 EEC Associated African states : joint parliamentary meeting planned.
  - p. 5 Sicilian Mineral monopoly : favourable opinion from the European Commission.
    - <u>European Parliament</u>: resolution passed advocating accelerated ratification of the European Social Charter.
      - Court of Justice : hearings in case 13/63 (Italian refrigerators exports to France.

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- p. 1 <u>Steel products and the Kennedy negotiations</u>: British doubts as to the eventual effects of tariff cuts on international trade.
- p. 1/2 The H.A. submits its 11th Annual Report to Parliament : favourable attitude to the merger of the Executives, priority to the common energy policy.
- p. 2 Steel prices : new reduction by two Italian firms.
- p. 3 <u>Increase in Spanish steel tariffs</u> : effects of the new anti-dumping duties on trade with the Community.

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- European Parliament : declaration by Mr Martino - differences of emphasis in the reactions of the political groups to the Community Working Programme for 1963.

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- p. 1 Emergency imports : the Commission requests a delegation of power.
- pp 1/5 EEC-Turkey : the negotiations approach their climax.
- p. 1 Eurosyndicat share index : notable rise from 143.27 to 147.29.
- p. 2 <u>Franco-Italian tariff dispute</u>: the Commission to give its opinion.
   Lead and zinc emergency problem:technical studies by the Six still going on.
- pp 2/3 <u>Harmonisation of pharmaceutical legislation</u>: two new draft directives in preparation.
- pp 3/4 <u>Community regulation of the fruit and vegetable market</u>: the Commission's replies to questions Nos 1 - 4 by Mr Mauk.
- p. 4 <u>Pork levies</u> : Commission authorisation to Italy to reduce the levies.
   Family organisations meet Comminity authorities.
- p. 5 GATT Ministerial meeting : the American objections to the Six' proposals.

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- p. 1 <u>Rolled product sales</u> : slight recovery in April. - <u>Modification of the Treaty of Paris</u> : statements by political groups of the E.P..
- p. 2 <u>Steel prices</u>: Rodange reduces prices for certain rolled products.
   <u>Employment developments in the steel industry</u> : a certain levelling out in numbers observed by the H.A.
  - <u>Italian steel prices</u> : several firms reduce prices for reinforcing rods and merchant rolled.
- pp 2/3 European energy supplies : the H.A.'s reply to the arguments of the W.European Coal Producers.

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- Strengthening of the European Parliament : the Political Committee suggests a series of objectives to be attained.
- Mr Jean Couture to be Energy Commissaire in France.

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- p.1 <u>Synchronised Working Programme Second part</u> : the most difficult problem is relations with the U.K.
- p.1/6 <u>GATT ministerial conference</u> : M. Schaffner emphasises the responsibility of the Great Powers Nice attitude by the Six on the requests of the underdevelopped countries.
- p.2 Exclusive agent agreements : the Commission considers a wide interpretation of the Treaty is called for.
  - <u>Private investment in underdevelopped countries</u> : theme of the Eleventh Round Table on the problems of Europe.
- p.3 <u>EEC-Iran agreement</u>: the Community may make some additional concessions on carpets and dried raisins.
  - Tariff on tea and mate : Abolition favoured by the British.
  - European integration : meeting arranged by the Economist and Espresso.
- p.4-5 <u>Agricultural state aids</u> : the Commission submits a provisional report to the Council.
- p.5 <u>Court of Justice</u> : Hearings in case 13/63 (Italian refrigerator imports into France).

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- p.1 Liberation of scrap exports : warning from German steel industrialists.
  - American scrap : the composite-price falls to 28.83 dollars.
- p.2 <u>Scrap perequations contributions</u> : thirty firms bring appeals against the H. A. request for payment.
  - GATT meeting : the H.A. represented.
  - Steel report : adopted by the H.A.
- p.3 Belgian coal directorate : first activity report published.

- HOESCH A.G. to build a distance heating installation.

- Financial aid granted to four research products.
- Dumping : Cooperation between the ECSC and the British steel industry.

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- Dutch elections : catholic party victorious, liberals weakened , new extreme right group emerges.

\* See over : To inform opinion without intoxicating it.

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- p. 1 Monetary Committee : international monetary problems studied.
  - EEC-Argentine : joint study of the meat trade situation.
  - Agricultural costing data : the Commission proposes the setting up of a Community network.
- pp 1/6 <u>GATT Ministerial Conference</u>: the problem of trade with developing countries declaration by Mr Rey.
- p. 2 <u>Commission departments</u>: reorganisation of the depts. dealing with the overseas states.
  - <u>Dutch agricultural state aids</u> : the Commission considers them compatible with the Treaty of Rome.
  - Quality wine quotas for 1963 : first technical examination of the Commission's proposals in the Special Committee.
- p. 3 <u>OECD study of the Dutch economy</u> : measures to stimulate productive investment may be needed.
  - Euratom-U.K. Permanent Committee : meeting at Ispra.
  - The seventeenth BENELUX Congress opened in Namur this morning.
  - OECD : Greek and Turkish Consortia to meet shortly in Paris.
  - Mr Heath in the Netherlands for three days.
- p. 4 Agricultural prices : no decision likely at the ministerial meeting next week.
- p. 5 <u>Cereal price alignment</u>: written questions Nos 25-27 by Mr Mauk (Lib. Ger.)
   Addis Ababa : debate on the repercussions of the Common Market.

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- pp 1/2 <u>Steel imports from the Communist bloc</u> : agreement on common policy will be difficult.
- p. 2 Social Security in the U.K. and the Six : H.A. report now published.
- p. 3 <u>Community coal mines</u>: improvement in working conditions since 1953..
   American coal consumption : increase forecast.
  - Community scrap trade : 17,400 tons licensed for export in April.

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- p. 1/2 EEC Council Agricultural Session : heavy agenda for next week, but no remarkable results expected.
- p. 2/3 Horizontal agreements : the Commission to concentrate on notifications received and endeavour to discover agreements not notified.
- p. 3/4 GATT Ministerial conference : disagreement between the "Six" and the USA concerning the method of tariff reductions.
- p. 4 EEC-Greece : Greece demands bringing forward date of the customs union of dry raisins and tobacco.

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- p. 1 The Ruhr hopes to sell 3 million tons more coal this year than last .
  - Union claims in the German coal industry.
  - The problem of emergency stocks held by coal users.
  - U.K.-Soviet Union : The UK government not opposed the British steel tubes being exposed to the Soviet Union.
  - ECSC products transport : developments show progress towards integration in the Common Market.
- p. 2 <u>Social security regime in the EEC and U.K.</u> : comparison of advantages and disadvantages.

\* The Week in Europe.

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- pp 1/6 <u>GATT tariff conference</u> : research of a compromise between the American position and that of the "Six".
- p. 2 <u>Price reductions of certain tropical products</u> : France decided to apply this year decisions taken by the Community and the Associated States.
- pp 2/3 <u>Farm costs and accounts information network</u> : contents of the Commission's proposals to the EEC Council.
- p. 3 European Development Fund's activities : decisions and publications concerning the aid of the EEC to the Associated Overseas States.
  - <u>Coffee consumer taxes</u> : the German Finance Minister upholds; his refusal to abolish them.
- p. 4 <u>Reduction of the lock-gate price for chicken imports</u> : written question No. 28 by Mr Adolf Mauk (Ger. Lib.) to the EEC Commission.
  - <u>New difficulties between the EEC and Turkey</u>? the Community position seems hard to be changed
  - <u>Euratom</u> : the British Atomic Energy Authority signed a contract with Euratom to deliver 45 kg of plutonium.
  - Addis Abbaba : towards a creation of an African Common Market.
- p. 5 <u>Regional policy</u> : Prof. Hallstein calls for a policy of active Community intervention.
  - U.K.-Euratom : practical results expected.
  - EEC Council of Ministers : work began this afternoon in Brussels.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2917 :

- p. 1 Oven coke production for April 1963 : big fall in coke stocks at Community coke plants.
- pp 1/2 Stocks of coal in Community mines : fall of nearly lo million in one year.
- p. 2 Price reductions in the Italian steel industry
  - International market of steel products : first discussions between third exporting countries and the High Authority.
- p. 3 Resignation of M. Burgert, Director of the inspection department.
  - New subsidies for the "Charbonnages de France"
  - The High Authority may raise a loan to Italy.
  - Coal general objectives : consultation of experts to begin at once.
  - Denunciation of the collective contracts for German lignite miners.

..... in the Joint Supplement :

- Lord Gladwyn reveals a "pragmatic" plan for a European Political Authority.

- An Italian clarification on the "European Summet" which Adenauer proposed : a WEU Council meeting to be held in Rome?
- The Community and a political Europe : de Gaulle's Statements in Greece.

\* See over : European defence : in search of a formulae. -

#### Luxembourg, 21st May 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1558 :

- p. 1 Interventions of the European Bank in Greece : decisions imminent in the electrical energy sector - studies in progress in transport and agriculture.
  - <u>Refinancing Community exports to developping countries</u> where exports are of special interest : first request has come in.

pp 1/6 - EEC Council of ministers of agriculture : tough talking of cereal prices.

- p. 2 <u>EEC-Austria</u> : in the Commission's view, the type of agreement to be concluded depends on the undertakings Vienna is ready to give.
- p. 3/4 Euratom foreign relations : differences of view between the Commission and certain member States.
- p. 4 Vacancy of the post of "Director General" in the "Social Affairs" : parliamentary question No. 32 to the EEC Commission, by Mr Vals (French Soc.).
  - Application of the Rome Treaty in Algeria : parliamentary question No. 33 to the EEC Commission, by Mr Vals (French Soc.).
- p. 5 <u>New Association Convention with the A.O.S.</u>: the Commission submits to the Council a draft regulation for application.
  - Tenth Anniversary of the Council of Customs Cooperation.
  - U.K.-E.E.C. : German industrialists take a stand in favour of the U.K. accession.
  - The German Union Federation (DGB) takes a stand in favour of planning and a fair incomes policy.
- p. 5/6 GATT tariff negotiations : a compromise has been found.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No 2918 :

- p. 1 ECSC gross iron ore tonnage : fall of 16.4% (the first four months in 1963) by comparison to the same period of 1962.
- pp 1/3 Proposals for prior consultation procedure on agreements with Soviet States where ECSC products are involved.
- pp 2/3 Coal imports for 1963 from third countries : they will be 11 million tons more than 1962.
  - \* See over : European defence : in search of a formula (II).

#### Luxembourg, 22nd May 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1559 :

- pp 1/2/7 GATT Ministerial Conference : text of the resolutions adopted.
- p. 1 "Eurosyndicat" Stock exchange index : slight regression, 145.47 against 147.29.
- p. 3 EEC-Turkey : Greece unhappy about concessions Community is making to Turkey.
  - European agriculture and the Keenedy negotiations : COPA has taken position in favour of the reciprocal advantages.
- p. 4 <u>Farming problems</u> : parliamentary questionsNo 29,30,31 from Mr Mauk (Ger. Lib.) to the EEC Commission, concerning production, subsidies grants preferential treatment.

- Creation of a "European Committee for Cooperation with Latin-Amerika".

- p. 5 <u>Problems of cereal prices</u> : the ministers of agriculture will deal with the problem on May 30th.
- p. 6 <u>Poultry exports to Germany</u> : agreement by the Council of Ministers on a cut of rebates paid on poultry exports.
  - Permanent Conference on the EEC Chamber of Commerce : 13th session held in Rome.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2919 :

- p. 1 <u>Common energy policy</u>: the vice-president Coppe opens the first meeting of the <u>Senior officials committee</u>"
  - Low price imports from the East : technical difficulties are holding up an agreement in the ad hoc steel industry committee.
- p. 2 <u>Coal problems</u>: the energy committee emphatic that coal problems should be settled in the energy policy context.

- Clabecq puts its reinforcing rod prices schedules up.

- Foreign workers in the member States' steel industries.
- p. 3 Increase in lignite production in the Community.
  - Aid of the H.A. to iron and coal miners.

\* See over : European defence : in search of a formula (III). -

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# Luxembourg, 24th May 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET / EURATOM Bulletin No.1560 :

- p. 1 Energy policy and Action Programme : the Economic and Social Committee to give its opinion next week.
- pp 1/2 Bringing forward of the 3rd stage : no proposal likely in the immediate future.
- p. 2 <u>Results of GATT conference</u>: a few clarifications and commentaries.
  - MM. von Staden and Deniau to be honorary Director Generals.
  - Luxembourg economy : M. Paul Elvinger warns against the dangers of inflation.
- p. 3 Tobacco problems : questions No 34-36 by M. Maurice Faure.
  - <u>African Association</u> : the Cameroons propose June 14th for the signature of the Convention.
- p. 4 <u>Tariff cuts and German prices</u> : the Commission's reply to question No 9 by Mme Strobel.
  - Workers' housing : the Commission's reply to question No 14 by M. Vredeling.
- pp 5/6 Pork preparations and the levy system : appreciable progress at the last Council of Ministers.
- p. 6 <u>Poultry imports from 3rd countries</u> : the Council will have to decide about a possible modification of the present levies.
  - Egg imports from 3rd countries : increase in the levy.
  - British agricultural policy : the Government has decided on the limitation of imports.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2920 :
- p. 1 <u>The Providence company</u> acquires the capital of a small metal stamp works.
   <u>Readaptation aid</u> : extention of measures in favour of certain German workers.
- pp 1/2 Energy supply policy : solutions proposed in the Consultative Committee.
- p. 1 American scrap : Composite price falls to 28.50 dollars.
- p. 2/3 <u>Common energy policy</u>: the Senior Officials' committee discusses the principles in the Interexecutive Memorandum.
- p. 3 Galvanised steel strip : new British rebate system.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- Mr Heath receives the Charlemagne prize .
- The Parliamentary Research Culture Committee revives the idea of the European University.
- M. Hallstein speaks in London on relations between Great Britain and the Community
  - \* See over : Africa and Europe.

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\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1561 :

- p. 1 <u>Synchronised Working Programme</u>: several important reservations are still being maintained.
- pp 2/3 <u>GATT Action Programme for underdevelopped countries</u> : reservations by developped countries not members of the EEC the question of tropical products.
- p. 3 <u>Cereal price alignment</u> : the harmonisation of relationships between the prices of the different cereals.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2921 :

- p. 1/2 Sales by alignment : summary of past and future developments.
- p. 2 EEC-UK dispute over steel exports : the Britain Iron and Steel Federation has difficulties in enforcing observance of the Paris agreement.
  - Court of Justice : coming hearings in the Schlieker case (12/63)

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- <u>Common energy policy</u> : new opinion being prepared by the Economic and Social Committee.

\* The week in Europe.

#### Luxembourg, 27th May 1963

- \* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1562 :
- p. 1 <u>German compensatory import taxes</u> : France calls for the problem to be studied by the Council of Ministers.
  - Macmillan Hallstein talks in London today.
  - Tariff quotas for List G products.
- pp 2/3 Common transport policy : the Commission proposes parallel steps in the matters of liberalisation, market organisation, and competition policy.
- p. 3 Social policy in agriculture : the problem of collaboration between the Commission, the farmers, and the agricultural workers.
  - <u>Consumer price developments</u> : the Commission's reply to question No. 10 by Mme Strobel (SPD).
- p. 4 <u>Community regulation of quality wines</u> : the Commission's reply to question No 7 by Mr Hans Richarts (CDU).
  - <u>Council resolution on transport policy</u> : the Commission's reply to question No 13 by Mr Kapteyn (PvdU).
  - <u>River transport</u> : further progress towards the establisment of Community norms for boat building.
  - Unemployment in Italy : gradual disappearance.
- p. 5 <u>Agriculture and the 2nd Working Programme for 1963</u>: differences of opinion still exist between the member states.
  - International monetary situation : the Monetary Committee sees no major worries.
- p. 6 <u>Associated African states</u> : plans for the use of the production and diversification aid to be drawn up immediately?
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2922 :
- pp 1/3 Investment trends in steel : effects of the general deterioration.
- pp 2/3 <u>H.A.-Parliament relations, state of the steel industry</u> : the saliant points of the Nederhorst Report.
- p. 3 Tunisia to build a steel works :
  - ECSC-Austria relations : the Austrian steel industry wants association as soon as possible.
    - \* See over : Exploiting the crisis.
    - \* EUROPE/Brief Notes No. 108 : Italy.

# Luxembourg, 28th Mai 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1563 :

- pp 1/2 European Investment Bank annual meeting : results and prospects as described by the Chairman.
- p. 3 <u>Turnover tax harmonisation proposals</u> : contents and timetable before the European Parliament.
  - EEC Austria : Mr Pisani would welcome Austria association.
- p. 4 Programme of Action in social policy : the Commission is determined to achieve the objectives of the Treaty.

- <u>Common transport policy</u>: Mr Schaus advises member states to agree to a compromise before the introduction of majority voting.

- p. 5 <u>Common agricultural policy</u>: state of progress on proposals to be submitted to the Council of Ministers.
  - <u>Court of Justice</u> : the Advocate General concludes against the Italian Government in case 13/63 (special tax on Italian refridgerators imported into France).
- p. 6 Interpenetration

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2923 :

- p. 1 Community steel industry : progressive deterioration of receipts.
  - Scrap perequation : six Italian steel firms challenge decision No 7/63 by the H.A.
    - Low-price steel imports from the Communist bloc : last attempt to reach agreement within the Ad hoc Committee for the industry.
- pp 2/3 <u>Steel industry investment</u> : Mr Dickgans warns against the effects of an excessive fall.
- p. 3 Austrian steel industry : visit by the General Objectives Working Party.
  - Belgian coal problem : talks to be held next month between the Belgian Government and the H.A.

\* See over : EEC - UK contacts - a false problem.

\* EUROPE/Documents No 203 : GATT MINISTERIAL CONFERENCE : THE OPENING STATEMENT, THE TEXT OF THE FIANL DECISION AND AN INTERPRETATION

# Luxembourg, 29th April 1963

\*In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1564 :

- p. 1 EEC-Greece Council of Association : the problem of the prospective EEC-Turkish agreement.
- pp 1/6 EEC-3rd country relations : the Council to define Community policy with regard to Latin America, Austria, Iran and Turkey.
- p. 1 Eurosyndicat share index : slight rise from 145.47 to 147.05.
- p. 2 <u>Court of Justice</u> : details on the Advocate General's conclusions in case 13/63 (tax on Italian refrigerators imported into France).
  - <u>Court of Justice</u> : the Advocate General's conclusions in the cases 25 and 34/62 (requests for suspension of common external tariff)
- p. 3 European inland navigation : definition of a prototype barge on the stocks. - Car industry : French complaint against the price policy of American firms' European subsidiaries.

- Nuclear power stations to be built in the Community.

- pp 3/4/5 Organisation of the dairy products market : difficulties and obstacles to be overcome.
- pp 5/6 Economic and Social Committee : debate on economic planning, contact with the U.K., and institutional problems.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2924 :
- p. 1 <u>Court of Justice</u> : the Advocate General concludes as to the unacceptability of Mme Schliecker's appeal (Case 12/63).
  - Reinforcing rods : Saint-Eloi raises its prices.
  - Mr Wehrer to visit Sweden and Norway.
- pp 2/3 Scrap perequation frauds : question No 37 by Mr Nederhorst.
- p. 3 Steel prices : alterations by Italian firms.
  - Technical research : five projects approved by the Consultative Committee.
    - \* See over : European nuclear deterrent and the labour force.
    - \* EUROPE/Documents No. 204 : THE COMMON TRANSPORT POLICY:AN "EXPLANATORY NOTE" BY THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION CONCERNING THE CONTENTS OF ITS PROPOSALS SUBMITTED TO THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS OF THE E.E.C.

- p.1 <u>Aid to the associated African States</u>: the Council will authorize the Commission to start examining their five year plans straight away.
  - Egg imports from third countries : reduction in levy.
  - German compensatory import tax : the Commission opens the art. 101 procedure.
- p. 2 <u>Court of Justice</u>: the Advocat General's conclusions as to the inadmissibility of the Plaumann appeal.
- p.2/6 <u>Court of Justice</u> : the Advocat General concludes in favour of the annulment of the Commission's decision refusing to suspend the CET for oranges.
- p.3/4 <u>Common organisation of the butter market</u> : the Commission's suggestions and the member'states' comments.
- p. 5 <u>Railway harbour rates</u> : the Commission's reply to question No. 15 by Mr. Kalbitzer.
   <u>Rationalisation of the Italian silk industry</u> : the Commission's reply to question No. 18 by Mr. Vredeling.
  - Mr. Rochereauto pay a visit to West Africa.
  - EEC India : trade talks between Mr. Rey and Mr. Manubhai Shah.
- p. 6 New anti-dumping law being drafted in the United States.
  - The ministers of Agricolture in session since this morning faced with serious difficulties.
    - \* In to-day's ECSC Bulletin No. 2925 :
- p. 1 Continuing pressure on prices on ECSC steel market.
  - Ruhr coal selling agencies : dutch government appeal against H.A. decision.
  - Composite-price : 28, 17 Dollars/t.
- p. 2 <u>Anti-dumpingmeasures on steel market</u>: E.P. members warn about their protectionism.
  - Political committee stresses urgency of merging European Executives.
- p. 3 <u>Reinforcing rods</u> : big IRO cut in schedule price.
  - German compensatory tax : H.A. regrets it has come into force.
  - Special EEC levy : E.P. members favour keeping present rates.
    - ..... and in the Common Supplement :
  - WEU: plenary assembly next week : reports on franco-german Treaty, European foreign policy, the NATO nuclear force and disarmament problems.
  - Ambassador Sir Walter O'Neil to-day handed his credentials to Mr. Pierre Chatenet and to Mr. Walter Hallstein.

\* See over : Until Europe has organised itself.

\* EUROPE/Documents No. 199 : Economic prospects in the Community for 1963.

## Luxembourg, 31st May 1963

\*In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1566 :

- p. 1 <u>Community working programme</u> : no agreement on the modalities of the contact procedure between the Community and the U.K. further study of the programme on June 18.
- p. 2 <u>Community transport policy</u>: the Trade Union point of view. - <u>Temporary suspension of the CET for Germany</u>: the Commission's reply to question No 19 by Mr Vredeling.
- p. 3 <u>Poultry export rebates</u> : the Commission's replies to question No 16 & 17 by Mr Vredeling.
- pp 3/4 New Commission proposals for dairy produce : question No 38 by Mr Vredeling.
- p. 4 European Social Fund : minor reform adopted by the Council of Ministers.
- pp 4/5 <u>Community poultry regulations</u> : the difficulties of application discussed by the Council of Ministers.
- pp 5/6 EEC-Greece : the respective positions with regard to the prospective EEC-Turkish agreement.
- p. 6 Economic and Social Committee : debate on the Community Action Programme for the 2nd stage and energy policy.
  - German compensatory import tax : the Council will have an exchange of views at its June meeting.
- p. 7 <u>Council of Ministers</u> : no cereal price harmonisation debate on relations with Turkey, Iran, Latin-America.

\*In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2926 :

- p. 1 ECSC-Austria : the Austrian steel industry calls on the Viennese Government to take the initiative in favour of association.
  - San Mechele to sell no more ingots for rerolling.
  - <u>Steel imports from the Communist bloc</u> : agreement in COCOR on the need for deliberalisation.
- pp 2/3 Flat steel : effect of the increase in imports from the USSR.
- p. 3 ECSC-UK Council of Association : next meeting planned for September.
  - \* See over : Possible frameworks for Community Great Britain contacts.
  - \* EUROPE/Documents No. 201 : TEXT OF THE "DRAFT AGREEMENT" PREPARED BY THE HIGH AUTHORITY WITH THE OBJECTIF OF BRINGING ABOUT THE CONDITIONS NECESSARY FOR A COMMON ENERGY MARKET

Luxembourg, 1st June 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1567 :

p. 1 - <u>Community-United Kingdom contacts</u> : statements by Mr Eugène Schaus - text of the Italian proposal.

- Iran and Turkey : the Council decisions allow for conclusion of agreements.

- p. 2 Latin America : the text of the Council for the institution of "contact groups". - EEC-Austria : strictly for information only contacts
  - Tea and Tropical woods : mandate to the Commission for instituting, with the United Kingdom, nil duties.
- p. 3 <u>Guidance and guarantee and structural improvements funds</u> : the EP farming committee studies Executive proposals.
  - Equal pay : Social Committee drafting report.
- p. 4 EFTA : the next meeting of the Consultatif Committee no Council session before September.
  - Imported Poultry : lock-gate price out US reaction to levy increase.
  - Cereal target prices : points of agreement and disagreement.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No 2927 :

- p. 1/2 Steel imports : the régime of imports with the Eastern countries.
- p. 2 Mr Roger Martin : no second French coastal factory before 10 years.

\* The Week in Europe.

Luxembourg, 4th June 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1568 :

- p. 1 <u>EEC Israel</u>: 2nd phase of the negotiations begins tomorrow basic disagreement persists.
  - <u>FFC</u> Turkey : the European Commission and the Turkish delegation to finalise the text of the Association agreement.
  - Ministers of Transport : 17th session of the European Conference coming up.
- p. 2 Economic and Social Committee : agreement on 'programmation', contacts with the U.K. and institutional reform.
- p. 3 Pork cuts and the levy system : appreciable progress by the Council in the study of the unsettled technical problems.
- p. 4 Rice, dairy and meat market organisation : meeting of the Special Agricultural Committee to discuss unsettled problems.
  - Agricultural wage-earners : the social problems to be studied by a consultative committee on a parity basis.
- p. 5 Interpenetration.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2928 :

- p. 1 Steel tariffs : the steel industry of the Community calls for a general harmonisation within the framework of the Kennedy negotiations.
  - Western Furopean Coal Producers : Mr. Burckhardt elected Vice-Chairman.
  - Rationalisation of the German coal industry : the bill will be passed before the end of the summer.
  - Coal sales by alignment : talks between the H.A. and the WECP.
- p. 2 French steel industry : appreciable fall in profits during 1962.
  - A new refinery to be built in Iran by a Franco-German consortium.
  - Coal mine closures in Germany : Prof. Burgbacher calls for caution,

... and in a Common Supplement :

- Assembly of Western European Union : 9th ordinary session Mr Carlo Schmid elected Chairman.
- The Belgian Socialist Party denies any formal contacts with the French U.N.R.

\* See over : Reflections on the teachings of Pope John XXIII.

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No.1569 :

- p. 1 <u>Sixth gernal activity report</u>: the Commission insists on the need for institutional reform and accelerated integration.
  - Eurosyndicat still climbing : 149, 60 as against 147, 05 (+ 1,8%).
- p.2/3 Euratom : the problems raised by patents in connection with the diffusion of scientific information.
- p. 3 <u>New British guaranteed agricultural prices</u>: the Commission's reply to question No. 22 by Mr. Vr.edeling.
  - <u>Permanent agricultural structures committee</u> : the Commission's reply to question No. 23 by Mr. Vredeling.
- p. 4 <u>U.K.-EEC</u> : British industryprefers to concentrate on exporting to the Common Market than to EFTA.
  - German compensatory import tax : examination of the compatibility of the new rates with the fiscal provisions of the Treaty not yet finished.
  - Prof. Hallstein visits the U.S.
- p. 5 <u>Second adaptation of national tariffs to the CET</u>: the Council decision published in the Official Gazette. of the Communities.
  - <u>Sweden-E.E.C.</u>: hopes for association to the E.E.C. and for the success of the Kennedy Round.
- p.5/6 Euratom : the Commission proposes that the German firm K.R.B. be made a "common enterprise".
- p. 6 <u>Poultry imports from third countries</u> : publication of the regulation increasing the levy on imports.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2929 :

- p. 1 <u>German miners' shift bonus</u>: the H.A. calls on the German government to speed up the solution of the problem.
  - E.C.S.C.-South Africa : diplomatic relations to be established.
  - H.A. condolances on the death of the Pope.
  - Energy committee : preparation for study trip in September.
  - President Malvestiti to take six weeks' sick leave.
- p.2/3 Merchant rolled and wire rod: imports : size and effect on the Common Market.
- p. 3 German iron and steel production : 4.5 % reduction by comparison with the previou year as a result of the restocking cycle.
  - ..... and in the Common Supplement :
  - W.E.U. Assembly : Mr. Heath calls for increased political and military cooperation between the member States.
  - College of Europe at Bruges : the British Government to grant an annual subsidy.

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1570 :

- p. 1 <u>Customs duties for petroleum products</u> : the Council to start preparing its decision tomorrow.
  - Application of the agreements clauses to the banks : discussion next week in the Agreement Conference.
  - EEC Greece : programme for the Parliamentary Committee of Association.
  - Parliamentary Foreign Trade Committee : decisions on treatment of the Latin American and Kennedy Negotiations problems.
- pp 2/3 Energy policy : the Economic and Social Committee in favour of encouraging the economically desirable development.
- p. 3 Cognac production : the commission's reply to question No 20 by Mr Lens.
- p. 4 Euratom : reasons for making the German KRB nuclear centre into a "common entreprise" - <u>Administration of agricultural departments</u> : question No 39 by Mr Briot (UNR,Fr.).
- p. 5 Financial aid and the EDF : the Commission's reply to question No 21 by Mr Vredeling.
   EEC-Israel : association is out of the question, but a Parliamentary Committee hopes to find a more flexible formula.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2930 :
- p. 1 <u>Steel imports from the Communist bloc</u>: first steps towards a harmonisation of commercial policies in this field.
  - American scrap : composite-price at 26,83 dollars.
- p. 2 Steel imports from Japan : recent development and effect on prices.
- p. 3 Steel prices : new prices announced by the Italian industry.
  - Common energy policy : the Special Committee charged with the examination of the draft Protocol.
  - ECSC levy : the H.A. decides to maintain the 0.2% rate.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- p. 1 <u>Parliamentary Political Commission</u>: preparation for the comming colloquium with the Council and revision of the ECSC Treaty.
  - W.E.U. Assembly : M. Habib-Deloncle for France accepts on certain conditions the Heath proposal for regular meetings of the W.E.U. Council at ministerial level.
    - \* See over : Mutual suspicion persists and synchronisation wavers (II).

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1571 :

- p. 1 <u>Taxation and monetary problems</u>: the six Finance Ministers will study on the 10th and 11th June the questions of export rebates, turnover tax in the international monetary situation.
  - European Bank : loan to "Usines et Aciéries de Sambre et Meuse"
- pp 1/2 <u>EEC-Greece</u>: end of the first meeting of the Association parliamentary committee adoption of a "recommendation" concerning Turkey.
- p. 2 Emergency interventions in the event of shortages : first reactions to the Commission's proposals satisfactory.
  - Consultative Assembly of EFTA: : towards a system of consultation?
- pp 3/4 Application of the cereals, pig meat, eggs and poultry regulations : EEC Commission interim report.
- p. 4 Export rebates : the Commission feels that measures adopted by Italy are inadequate.
- p. 5 Kennedy negotiations : first meeting of the GATT Trade Negotiations Committee to be hold on June 27.
  - European Development Fund :
  - Sitzerland to play bigger part in OECD activity.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2931 :

- pp 1/2 Energy policy : scope and implications of the draft agreement submitted to the Council of Ministers by the High Authority.
- pp 2/3 Leading steel exporters : towards an improvement in the state of competition.
- p. 3 Steel imports from the Communist bloc: the Dutch metal using industries protest against the limitation:

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- Final session of the WEU Assembly : General Lemnitzer sees the defence of Europe as individable.

\* See over : The next phase of the Kennedy Round.

#### Luxembourg, 8th June 1963

- \* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1572 :
- p. 1 Euratom-U.S. cooperation agreement: towards greater flexibility.
  - American poultry exports to the EEC : the U.S. request further talks following the recent Community decisions.
  - REC-Israel negotiations : the Israeli position is not yet clear.
- pp 2/3 <u>Economic Cycle Policy Committee Report</u> : suggestions for improving the preparation of economic budgets.
- p. 3 <u>Civil servant promotion in EEC and Euratom</u> : questions No 40 and 41 to the Councils and No 42 and 43 to the Commissions by Mr Vals (Soc. Fr.)
  - Fiscal burdens on the Community hotel industry : written question No 44 by Mr Pleven (Liberal Fr.).
  - German regions hit by partition : examination of compatibility of Government aid with the Treaty on June 10th.
- pp 3/4 <u>National legislation on use of preserving agents</u> : the Parliamentary Committee on Public Health proposes a modification of the Commission's harmonisation directive.
- p. 4 Euratom : U.S.-German contract for the development of rapid reactors.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2932 :

- pp 1/2 <u>Community coal needs</u> : increase of 5.8% expected for the 3rd quarter as a result of restocking by consumers.
- p. 2 Steel prices : Delloye-Matthieu outs its prices for galvanised sheet.
  - Community power stations : figures for the transformation of primary energy.
  - German coal industry : the Rationalisation Community will come into effect on September 1st.

\* The Week in Europe

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Luxembourg, 10th June 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1573 :

- p. 1 CET on oil products : the different national positions on the policy to be followed.
- p. 2 <u>World flour trade</u> : no reaction yet from the Commission to Mr Mansholt proposal to getting together with interested third countries.
  - <u>Nuclear science teaching</u> : first attempt by the Commission to harmonise teaching methods in the Six.
  - Ministers of Finance : the problem of turnover tax harmonisation.
- pp 3/4 Euratom : first report on the Community programme of participation in power reactors.
- p. 4 <u>Trade agreements</u> : the Conference of Government Experts will discuss the application of rules of competition to finance and insurance.
  - Community wine-growing survey : further delays.
- p. 5 Interpenetration.
- p. 6 Monetary policy : the Chairman of the Bank for the Bank of International Settlements calls for the establishment of a better monetary balance.
  - Common Market and regional policy : opening of a Congress of European Communes.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2933 :

- p. 1 Steel prices : alterations in the German and Italian industries.
  - Belgian steel industry : Mr van der Rest underlines the need for cheap imported coal.
- pp 1/2 Coal : estimated imports by the Community during the 3rd quarter 1963.
- p. 2 Community crude steel production : steep drop in Germany, slight else-where.
- pp 2/3 Belgian coal industry : difficulties in recruiting foreign labour.
- p. 3 <u>Community coal production</u> : rise everywhere except in France.
   <u>German miners' shift bonus</u> : the H.A. asks that rebates cover the whole of 1963.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- EEC-G.B. relations : will the U.K. try and ressurect the E.D.C.?
- Court of Justice : Mr Lecourt named head of the 2nd Chamber of the Court.

\* See over : Who belongs to the "Rich man's club"?

\* EUROPE/Notes Rapides : B E N E L U X No. 109

Luxembourg, 11th June 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1574 :

- p. 1 <u>Deadlock on the Synchronised Working Programme</u> : the 2nd part of the programme will not be discussed at the next Council meeting.
  - EEC-EFTA : Hallstein de Besch meeting.
  - Fiscal harmonisation : the Ministers of Finance agree to the making of a global study of the harmonisation to be achieved by the end of the year.
- p. 2 <u>Agricultural policy</u> : Mr. Mansholt adresses young French farmes. <u>Greece</u> : Mr Caramanlis resigns.
- pp 3/4 Emergency programme for lead and zinc : member states' reserves on the measures proposed by the Commission.
- p. 4 <u>Associated African states</u> : exports to the E.E.C. have risen appreciably.
   <u>EEC-Greece</u> : the Deputy Governor of the Bank of Greece declares Greece is opposed to certain clauses of the proposed agreement with Turkey.
- p. 4/6 Technical assistance to developping countries : the Commission is to study the possibility of reviving its activity in this field.
- pp 5/6 <u>EEC-Algeria</u>: the member states to maintain the status quo in return for reciprocal concessions.
- p. 6 <u>Russo-Czech</u> economic talks in Moscow.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2934 :

- p. 1 <u>Fiat-Breda steel merger</u> : Fiat withdraws as a result of the terms set by the H.A.
   ECSC-UK : Sir O'Neil presents his letters of credence.
- pp 1/2 Fire damp in the mines : Community fact-finding day.
- pp 2/3 Steel market situation : new orders show market picking up.
- p. 3 Ruhr coal selling organs : proposed new trading rules.
  - \* See over : Must we synchronise the synchronisers?
  - \* EUROPE/Documents No 206 : THE RECOMMENTATION OF THE EWU ASSEMBLY ON THE SUBJECT OF RELATIONS BETWEEN GREAT BRITAIN AND THE EEC

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Luxembourg, 12th June 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1575 :

- p. 1 <u>Common transport policy</u> : the Council to submit the Commission's proposals to Parliament and the Economic and Social Committee for their opinions.
  - Euratom Annual Report : the Chairmen's Committee of the Parliament adopts the Armengaud Report.
  - Eurosyndicat share index : 146.82 (-1.95%).
- p. 2 <u>Poultry imports from third countries</u> : technical talks between the governmental experts of the Six with a view to reducing the lock-gate price.
- pp 2/3 Euratom research programme : the execution of the 2nd 5 year programme will mean 250 million dollars' worth of business for Community firms.
- p. 3 <u>American poultry experts</u> : the Six must coordinate their position before the American request for the opening of negotiations.
- pp 4/5 United Nations Conference on Trande and Development : certain countries want to see the U.N. establish itself in the World of trade.
- p. 5 Nuclear Congress in Rome : the Rospo reactor comes into operation.
  - Liberation of payments for services : legal obligation on the Six.
    - Effects of the Common Market : most pronounced in the field of electrical applications.
      - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2935 :
- p. 1 Ruhr coal selling organs : the German retail trade has its reserves about the proposed trading regulations.
  - World scrap market : American exports will fall this year to 5 million tons.
  - Energy policy : working document by Mr Leemans adopted.
- pp 1/2 <u>Austrian steel exports to the E.C.S.C.</u> : now 26% of total steel imports by the Community.
- pp 2/3 Belgian coal problem : Mr Spinoy to have talks with the H.A.
- p. 3 Report on the H.A.'s work : Mr Leemans calls for closer cooperation between Parliament and the Executive..
  - Energy situation in the Community : new publication.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- June session of the European Parliament : details on the agenda Mr Schaus to make a statement on the activity of the EEC and Euratom Council.
- European Conference of Ministers of Transport : the communiqué published at the conclusion of the 17th session.
  - \* See over : The paternity of the Fouchet Plan.
  - \* EUROPE/Documents No 205 : THE 1962 ANNUAL REPORT OF THE EUROPEAN INVESTMENT BANK

# Luxembourg, 13th June 1963

- \* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1576 :
- p. 1 <u>Council of Ministers</u> : the June 18th session will be confined to budgetary matters, etc. - the July 1st session has been postponed.
  - EEC-Isreal negotiations : Isreal consents to an agreement limited to certain particular measures.
- p. 2 <u>Turnover tax harmonisation</u>: state of progress the creation of a new committee.
   <u>Associated African states EEC</u>: meeting of Parliamentary delegates in Strasbourg June 20th - 21st.
- p. 3 Tax stand-still and the increase in German import taxes : the Commission replies to question No 24 by Mr Vanrullen.
  - <u>Cereal price harmonisation</u> : Mr Mansholt is still hoping to take a first step in this direction at the next Council meeting.
  - International Atomic Energy Authority : meeting of national experts in Vienna.
- p. 5 Social policy in the EEC : Mr Lévy-Sandri emphasizes the need for a Community wages policy.
  - Consequences of the winter : heavy damage to autumn sowings in France and Belgium.
  - <u>Preserving agents in foodstuffs</u> : the Parliamentary Agricultural Committee approves the Stroebel Report.
- \* p. 6 EEC-Associated African states : the problem of manioc starch and flour imports into the Community.
  - Euratom : members of the Deutsches Atomforum and the Bundestag Nuclear Energy Commission visit Ispra.
  - EEC-Turkey agreement : Turkey raises new difficulties.
  - U.K. export promotion : towards an added value turnover tax?

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2936 :

- p. 1 <u>Steel imports from the Communist bloc</u> : towards a soordination of the trading policies of the Six.
  - American scrap : the composite-price down to 26.50 dollars per ton.
- p. 2 Rolled products : prices pick up as orders increase.
  - Scrap exports to third countries : the quantities involved remain small.
- pp 2/3 Iron-manganese : substantial cut in the Phoenix-Rheinrohr price.
  - National Coal Board : a profit at last export prospects seem good.
  - U.K. steel production : latest figures show very slight increase.

... and in the Joint Supplement :

- Political union : what are the chances?

- Direct elections to the European Parliament : new appeal in the French National Assembly.
  - \* See over : Political union and joint defence (à propos the Fouchet Plan)

\* EUROPE/Documents No 202 : FIFTH REPORT ON THE ACTIVITIES OF THE MONETARY COMMITTEE

# Luxembourg, 14th June 1963

\* On to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1577 :

- p. 1/2 June 18th ministerial meeting : budgetary and tariff questions now make up the agenda.
- p- 2 Economic situation in the member states : Expansion picking up as the effects of the winter wear off.
- p. 3 EFTA prospects : towards an increase in trade in agricultural produce further attempts to interest private capital in the underdeveloped regions.
- pp 3/4 Uri Report on Atlantic Partnership : a long period of quiescence to be expected as far as the U.K. is concerned.
- p. 4 Agreements Conference : general discussion on the most pressing problems but no decision.
  - Franco-German Treaty ratified by the French National Assembly.
- pp 5/6 <u>Special Agricultural Committee</u> : exchange of views on the rice, beef and dairy produce market organisations.
- p. 6 <u>Common Transport Policy</u>: divergence of views within the Council on the object of the common policy and on its defects.
  - Council of Ministers : correction to the agenda.
  - European League for economic cooperation .

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No 2937 :

- p. 1 Italian steel industry price cut.
- pp 1/2 Leemans report on H.A. activity. H.A. should exert more influence politically.
- p. 3 French National Assembly ratifies Franco-German Treaty.
  - COBECHAR annual report for 1962 published.
  - ECSC Japan : steel talks next month.
  - Ruhr coal sales : disagreement with H.A. on new trade dispensation.
  - Scrap perequation : all appeal met deadline.

... and in the Joint Supplement :

- Chances of relaunching political union as seen in terms of past events and present factors. II
  - \* See over : An obvious solution.

# Luxembourg, 15th June 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET EURATOM Bulletin No. 1578 :

- p. 1 <u>EEC-USSR commercial agreement</u> : nc negotiations is prospect so France unable to make any tariff concessions to Russia.
- pp  $1/3 \frac{\text{EEC-UK}}{\text{September}}$ : agreement on abolition of duties on tea and tropical products as from
- pp 2/3 <u>Council of Ministers of Agriculture</u>: main points on the agenda cereal target prices, poultry lock-gate prices, pork cuts and the levy system.
- p. 3 European Development Fund : recent announcements.
  - French agricutural subsidies to overseas départements: the European Commission
     Women's and family press on the European level.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2938 :

- pp 1/2 The H.A.'s achievement : according to Mr Coppé, the H.A. has achieved positive results in spite of the impediments of the Treaty.
- p. 2 <u>Competitive conditions in the Community</u> : a German study.
   SIDMAR : preparatory studies for the next meeting.

\* The Week in Europe.

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#### Luxembourg, 17th June 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1579 :

- p. 1 EEC policy on oil stocking : technical differences about the definition of stocks and the comparability of certain figures still remain.
- pp 1/6 <u>Hallstein press conference</u> : the Commission's position on the problems of the Community.
- p. 2 <u>Mali investment project</u> : the Commission proposes to the Council to draw on EDF funds.
- pp 2/3 <u>Agricultural policy and the minimum price system</u> : the Commission's view on the interpretation of article 44 of the Treaty.
- pp 3/4 Turnover tax harmonisation : state of progress.
- p. 5 <u>Common transport policy</u> : France will no longer apply The Hague Convention but agreement is still far off.
  - German banana quota : the experts raise various legal and economic difficulties.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2939 :

- p. 1 <u>German iron mines</u> : parliamentary suggestion for saving the Siegerland mines.
   <u>Belgian coal problem</u> : the Brussels Government to ask the H.A. to be more lenient in enforcing the promised mine closures.
- p. 2 <u>Steel imports</u> : trade between the ECSC and the UK in 1962. - <u>Coal stoves</u> : sales up in Germany.
- pp 2/3 Technical progress in crude steel production : fall in the number of units of production since 1957.
- p. 3 Vocational training : new publication on vocational training and technical progress in the steel industry.

\* See over : Centrifugal forces within the Community.

## Luxembourg, 18th June 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1580 :

- p. 1 <u>Monetary and financial policy</u>: Commission proposals to be submitted to the Counall of Ministers under preparation.
- pp 1/6 <u>Council of Ministers</u> : American poultry imports, German compensatory tax rates, contacts with the U.K. on the agenda.
- p. 2 Equal wages for men and women : the Parliamentary Committee for Social Affairs finds progress being made.
  - Community fisheries : statistical publication just out.
  - Foreign workers : Committee for Social Affairs to make study trip in the North and East of France.
- pp 3/4 <u>Council of Ministers of Agriculture</u> : rice, cereal prices and wine quotas on the agenda.
- p. 4 <u>Pig-iron imports from Switzerland</u> : Germany requests partial suspension of the common external tariff.
  - Euratom Council of Ministers : the German firm K.R.B. to be designated a "common enterprise".
  - European Parliament : the Budgetary Committee calls attention to the disadvantages of dispersion.
- p. 5 Interpenetration.
- p. 6 Ministers of Agriculture : opening of the Council.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2940 :
- p. 1 <u>Steel imports from jrd countries</u> : the H.A. studies the possibility of applying the price rules of article 60.
  - Energy policy : the experts of the Consultative Committee have an exchange of views with the H.A.
- p. 2 <u>Thyssen/Phoenix-Rheinrohr merger</u> : decision before the parliamentary debate on June 26th.
  - Integrated steel works becoming increasingly important.
  - Ruhr coal sales organs : the H.A. has come to an agreement on the identidy of the German politician to be offered the position of controller.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- "Dialogue of the Continents an economic programme" : new work by M. Pierre Uri published under the auspices of the Atlantic Institute.
  - \* See over : "The Dialogue of the Continents" aims at a realistic approach.

Luxembourg, 19th June 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1581 :

p.	1	- Common External Tariff : the details of the decisions by the Council of Ministers.
pp	1/2	- Import tax standstill agreement : the differences of interpretation between the 6.
p.	1	- Eurosyndicat share index : 146.49 (-0.20%).
p.	2	- <u>State aid</u> : the Italian Government is informed by the Commission that the proposed measures in favour of Sicily and Sardinia are incompatible with the Treaty.
		- Free circulation of labour: the new regulations should come into effect next Sept.
p.	3	- Social policy for agriculture : the position of the professional organisations on the treatment of the independent farmer and his family.
p.	4	- Notification of old agreements : question No 45 by Mr Deringer.
<b>P</b> •		EEC-US : Mansholt-Blumenthal meeting in Brussels.
		- European League for Economic Cooperation : the agenda of the coming conference.
'np	5/6	- Council of Ministers of Agriculture : no agreement on cereal prices for the com-
FF	27 -	ing year.
p.	6	- Harmonisation of rail and road transport : favourable Commission opinion on draft
		French decree.
		- Greece-U.S. : the fiscal and tariff benefits accruing to American firms investing
		in Greece.
		- International Centre for Theoretical Physics to be set up in Trieste.
		* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No 2941:
p.	1	- French coal mines : increase in prices.
		- Italian steel industry : price alterations - large cut by Modena.
		- Court of Justice : SOREMA appeals against H.A. decision No 8/63 prohibiting its
		cooperation agreement with Oberrheinische Kohlenunion.
p.	2	- Coal-steel links : figures on the proportion of coal mines under the control of
		steel firms.
	-	- <u>Community coke gas production</u> : slight fall due to natural gas expansion.
p.	3	- Community generating stations : increasing amount of coke consumed.
		- World Oil Conference : Erhard stresses the benefits of a free market in oil. - New publication : nominal wages in coal and steel as compated with other ind-
		ustries.
		- Ruhr coal : meeting to discuss the trading regulations of the new selling organ-
		isation.
		and in the Joint Supplement :
		- Powers of the European Parliament : a comprehensive series of reforms proposed by Mr Furler.
		* See over : The institutional requirement for a "dialogue of the con-
		tinents".

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1582 :

- p. 1 Business integration within EEC : enquiry to be conducted by the Commission.
- pp 1/2 Monetary and Financial cooperation : the proposals to be submitted to the Council by the Commission.
- p. 2 <u>EEC-Latin American relations</u> : the Martino Report underlines the need to maintain olose links.
  - Automobile industry : Community statistics.
- p. 3 <u>Federation of Belgian Industries</u>: vigorous position on the problems of European integration.
  - Swedish scientific policy : an OECD enquiry.
- p. 4 <u>Reduction in the poultry lock-gate price</u>: the Commission's reply to M. Mauk.
   <u>OECD Turkish Consortium:coming meeting to study future Turkish aid needs.</u>
   <u>Mr Enzo Giacchero elected Chariman of the Common Market Chamber of Commerce.</u>
- p. 5 Grain prices, pork levies : the results of the meeting of the Ministers of Agriculture.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2942 :

p. 1 - ECSC Italian loan : a large proportion to be reserved for loans to Italian firms.

pp 1/2 - Italian steel industry : price reductions.

- p. 1 American scrap : the composite-price falls to 25.83 dollars.
- p. 2 <u>Consultative Committee</u> : next meeting at Berlin on July 9th
   May oven coke production : fall by comparison with pig iron production.
- pp 2/3 Belgian coal mine closures : the Belgian Government asks to be released from its 1959 engagement.
- p. 3 Belgian and Luxembourg wire rod exports : the U.S.Tariff Commission finds the charge of dumping unfounded.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- Inauguration of the Grand Duchess Charlotte Bridge at Luxembourg : Mr Werner on the future seat of the European Communities.
- European cultural cooperation : the conclusions of the Block Report.

\* See over : Towards a genuine European Parliament.

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1583:

- p.1 EEC-Turkey : the remaining difficulties seem to have been overcome,
  - <u>FEC-Greece</u> : the Association Committee examines how to encourage Greek tobacco raison and wine exports.
- pp 1-3 Council of Ministers of Agriculture : agreement reached on all the principle problems.
- pp 4/5 Community economic statistics : state of progress as regards wages, purchasing power, employment and social security.
- p. 5 Sugar supplies : Italy may not prohibit exports to the other member countries.
   European Commission : new appointments.
  - International Monetary Fund : Mr P. P. Schweitzer appointed Director General.
  - Franco-German Treaty : the French Senate ratifies.
- p. 6 Euratom : the Armengaud Report enumerates the various problems to be solved.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2943:

- pp 1/2 Energy policy : favourable report on the statistical assumptions on the Executives' Memorandum.
- p. 2 Government subsidies to the French coal mines : the H.A. asks for further details.
   Belgian coal problem : the Belgian Government confirms that the Commissioners to be appointed to COBECHAR will not use any powers contrary to the Treaty.
   Franco-German Treaty; the French Senate ratifies.
- p. 3 H.A. Transport Department : Mr Debois appointed Director.
  - Readaptation in the Italian steel industry : operation concluded.
  - American steel industry : new collective contract.
  - Coal stocks at mines : slight recovery in May.
  - Steel market situation : H.A. discussions with the trade and the consumers.

\* See over : The sincerity of Paul-Henri Spaak.

\* EUROPE/Brief Notes No. 110 : THE GERMAN FEDERAL REPUBLIC

<u>A V I S</u>: Next Monday 24th June being the Luxembourg National Holiday, these Bulletins will not be appearing. \* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1584 :

- p. 1 Monetary Committee : next session to be held on June 25th and 26th.
  - Lead and zinc : intra-Community duties to be abolished?
- pp1/2 Urgent interventions in the cyclical context : France has serious reservations on the European Commission's proposal
- p. 2 Turnover taxes : technical preparation of the Community method
  - New Association Convention : members of the European and African Parliaments ask it to be signed next month.
  - Corrigendum.
- pp 3/4- Application of the levy system to pork cuts : other Council decisions.
- p. 4 Case of Braun A.G. : the decision of the Karlsruhe Supreme Court in conformity with Community law.
  - Economic evolution of the member countries of the O.C.D.E. : the Economic Policy Committee hopes to establish fore casts.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2944 :

- p. 1 Transport of Minerals in Gabon : agreement reached between the United Nations Special Fund, Gabon and the World Bank.
- pp 1/2 German compensatory tax : H.A. still examining the problem.
- p. 2 German factories : the German producers of wire rod not guilty of dumping according to the Tariff Commission.
  - Pig-iron imports : the Council of Ministers will take a major decision on 15th July.
  - The August Thyssen-Hutte Phoenix-Rheinrohr case : imminent decision of the High A uthority.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- The new Italian Government : M. Piccioni to keep the Foreign Ministry.
- Common energetic policy : statement by Mr Cazzaniga, president of "Esso Italiana".
- Repercussions of EEC development : studies made by senior officials of the Community, the USSR, Africa, Asia and Latin America.

\* The Week: in Europe

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Luxembourg, 25th June 1863

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1585 :

- p. 1 EEC-Turkey : the association agreement initialled today provides for a possible later accession.
- pp 1/2 EFC-Algeria : the intra-Community customs reduction on July 1st will probably be extended to Algeria.
- p. 2 Cereal quality norms : details on the derogations in favour of Germany.
  Intra-Community cereal trade : probable increase in the fixed element in the levy.
- p. 3 Swedish economy : the OECD experts impressed by the success of swedish anticyclical policies.
- pp3/4 Cassava imports from the A.O.S. : the Commission's proposals for a special preferential system.
- **pp4**/5 <u>EEC-US</u> : the negotiations on American poultry exports to the EEC look like being difficult.
- p. 5 Brussels colloquium : fruitful exchange of views between representatives of the EEC, the uncommitted countries, and the Communist bloc.
  - Tariff quotas in favour of France and Italy.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2945:

- pp1/2 Revision of the Treaty of Paris : dominant theme of the Wagenfuhr Report.
- p. 2 Sales by alignment : the situation continues to improve.
   FCSC crap market : situation as before.
- p. 3 Community steel production : the French industry increases its share.
  - German scrap : the retail trade wants the Bundesbahn to submit its scrap prices to the Treaty publicity rules.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- Opening of the European Parliament : resolution adopted calling for a European cultural policy.

\* See over : Deadlock in Europe.

# Luxembourg, June 26th, 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1586 :

- p. 1 E.E.C. Japan : the Commission's proposals for a harmonisation of national commercial policies towards Japan.
- pp.1/2- E.E.C. activity Kennedy negotiations : the leading themes of Hallstein's speech to the European Parliament.
- **p. 2** <u>F.E.C.</u> U.S. : bipartisan resolution before Congress demanding maintainance of American exports to the Common Market.
- pp.3/4- Workers' incomes and state subsidies in agriculture : the Commission's reply to questions No. 30 & 31 by Mr. Mauk.
- p. 4 Technical assistance coordinating group : question No. 47 by Mr. Pedini.
  - F.F.C. U.K. : a call to negotiate Danish, Norwegian and Irish accession first.
  - Committee on customs problems: Mr. Levi-Sandri on the changes to be introducted on July 1st.
  - O.F.C.D. policy towards developping countries : new examination of the export credit and guarantees system.
- pp.5/6- Preserving agents in food : the Strobel Report for the European Parliament on the Commission's draft directive.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2946 :

- pp.1/2- European Parliament : the H.A. comes under fire from the Socialist Group but Mr. Coppé maintains considerable progress in some fields over the past year.
- p. 3 H.A. financial policy : some clarifications by Mr. Hettlage.
  - H.A. Latin American steel industry : question by Mr. Pedini.
  - Ruhr coal : closure of the "Friedrich Ernestine" Mine.
  - Papal coronation : Mr. Lapie represents the H.A.

..., and in a Joint Supplement :

- Schaus reply before the European Parliament : analysis of the major problems to be settled.
- W.E.U. : London colloquium.

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\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1589 :

- p. 1 Lorraine South-Luxembourg cooperation : formal European recommendation to France and Belgium for collaboration between these two regions.
- pp 1/2 EEC-Turkey association: summary of the immediate trade benefits.
- pp 3/4 Turnover taxes : agreement "non cumulative" to replace "waterfall" principle.
- p. 4 <u>Market organisation of rice, dairy products and beaf</u> : the Special Agricultural Committee will study next week the remaining problems.
  - German tariff quota for wine : the Court of Justice will give its verdict in case 24/62 next Thursday.
  - France-U.K. : M. Jo Grimond (liberal) proposes England to offer France a nuclear alliance.
  - <u>American navigation act</u> : the European Ministers of Transport failed to achieve a common front.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2949 :
- p. 1 <u>Subsidies on coal production in the ECSC</u> : time-table of the work of the energy policy committee of the ministers.
  - ECSC external duties : M. Sohl asks again for a harmonisation of these duties with those of the other producting countries.
  - Low price steel imports : time-table of the ECSC Consultative Committee for the meeting in Berlin on July 9th.
- pp 2/3 Scrap perequation : the H.A. answers to the written question No 37 by M. Nederhorst.

\* The Week in Europe.

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/FURATOM Bulletin No. 1590 :

- p. 1 Monetary situation within the Community : latest meeting of the monetary Committee.
- p.1/2/3 Monetary cooperation : Mr. Marjolin gives details on the Commission's proposals to the Council.
- p. 3 Community "Customs Union": 10% reduction in intra-Community duties takes place today.
  - FEC-Formosa : Nationalist China intends to establish commercial relations with the FEC.
  - German hostility to new agricultural market organisations.
- p. 4 Economic and Social Committee : position defined with regard to policy on transport, social matters and aid to developping countries.
- pp 4/5 EEC-Algeria : meeting of experts to discuss modifications in the Algerian external tariff.
- p. 5 U.N. Conference on Trade and Development : the preparatory Committee recommends March 1964 for the opening date.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2950:

- **p. 1** Steel and the Kennedy negotiations : the Community industry hopes for a complete equalisation of conditions between the major producing countries.
- p. 2 ECSC-South Africa : Mr Coppé receives the head of the S.A. Mission.
  - Columbian steel industry : World Bank loan to Acieras Paz del Rio.
  - OKU-SOREMA link : OKU asks for the H.A. authorisation to be extended till 31st March 1964.
  - ECSC steel market : situation improving quantitatively speaking.
- pp2/3 Steel prices : ITALSIDER reduces scheduled prices for merchant rolled.
- p. 3 German coal rationalisation community : 10 million tons' capacity will probably have to be closed.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- p.1 Powers of the European Parliament : what is desirable and what is realistic as seen by Mr Hallstein.
- p. 2 Community economic situation : businessmen more confident than last autumn, expecting production to expand.

\* See over : A Gaullist warning ?

# Luxembourg, 2<sup>nd</sup> July 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No : 1591 :

- p. 1 <u>Economic sector studies</u> : the results will be reviewed by special committees of government and other experts.
  - Escape clauses : the Commission declines to modify the procedure.
  - Inedible horticultural products : general feeling on the need for a common policy.
- p. 2 The application of the Treaty cartel rules to the Banks : the arguments for and against.
  - Lock-gate price for egg products : Commission decision published in the Gazette.
- p. 3 Fisheries Conference proposed by the U.K. : the Six must decide on a common line before being able to take part.
- p. 4 <u>Cereal price rapprochement</u>: the Commission's reply to question No. 26 by Mr Mauk.
   <u>Cereal prices for the 1963/1964 farm year</u>: Council regulations published in the Gazette.
- p. 5 <u>Preserving agents in food</u> : the Economic and Social Committee will give its opinion this week on the harmonisation of the national laws.
- p. 6 EEC-Algeria : Algeria hopes to open talks with the EEC in the autumn.
  - Tomatoes and apricots : France suspends imports.
  - Turnover tax harmonisation : the Economic and Social Committee proposes some amendments to the Commission's proposals.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2951 :
- p. 1/2 General objectives for coal : some H.A. experts feel they should amount to a veritable common policy for coal.
- p. 2 <u>H.A.-Dortmund-Hörder-Hüttenunion</u> talks.
  - Steel prices : Ferriera Fenotti reduces its schedules prices for reinforcing rods.
- p. 3 Technical research : a continuous miner adapted to the Lorraine iron ore mines.
  - COCOR meeting : to discuss the state of the iron and steel market.
  - Greece : firing of first blast furnace.
    - ..... in the Joint Supplement :
  - Policy of the Italian Government : Mr Leone's investiture speech.
  - Belgian Government resigns as result of linguiste quarrel.
    - \* See over : The problems of Europe and the Franco-German talks.

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\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1592 :

- p. 1 <u>Next examination of the Working Programme</u> : possible attempts to resume the dialogue with the U.K.
  - European University : scientific and political significance of the colloquium opening in Florence on July 4th
  - Eurosyndicat share index : 146.32 (-0.45%).
- p. 2 <u>Northern Lorraine Belgian Luxembourg region</u> : the Commission calls for complete economic integration.
  - Italian shipyards : Commission representatives make a visit of inspection.
  - Ispra : Scientific Director appointed.
- p. 3 Cereal price harmonisation : the Commission's reply to question No 25 by Mr Mauk.
- pp 3/4 <u>Supply and demand for foodstuffs</u>: the Commission's reply to question No. 29 by Mr Mauk.
- p. 4 <u>Vacancy in Social Affairs Department</u>: evasive reply by the Commission to question No 32 by Mr Vals.
  - Italian hard wheat imports : the Italian Government to involve the regulation escape clause.
  - Aid policies : examination by the OECD Development Assistance Group.
- p. 5 <u>Community and national law</u>: the Amiens Court denies the competence of the Court of Justice to decide conflicts.
  - <u>Algricultural policy</u>: series of regulations by the Commission published in the Gazette.
  - Free Trade Unions : meeting in favour of European integration.
- p. 6 Euratom-membre state relations : the European Parliament calls for increased collaboration.
  - External relations : the Parliamentary Foreign Commerce Committee underlines the need for a common policy.
  - Belgian Government : the King refuses to accept resignation of Lefèvre Cabinet.
  - <u>Switzerland</u> : watch industry alarmed by increased tariff discrimination within the EEC.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2952 :
- p. 1 Application of competition rules to steel trade : technical difficulties arising from differences of definition.
  - <u>Aid to Community coal</u> : the Energy Policy Committee will resume its examination of the problem next Tuesday.
  - Thyssen Phoenix-Rheinrohr merger : no decision likely before the August holidays.
- pp 2/3 <u>Metal-consuming industries' production</u> : figures for 3rd quarter should be 5% up on last year.
- P. 3 Free Trade Unions : meeting in favour of European integration.
   High Authority : budget for coming year 1963/1964.

\* See over : A "model" policy for Europe ?

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\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1593 :

- p. 1 German duties on oil products : eventual modification in accordance with Council decisions.
- pp 1/2 The synchronised working programme : progress possible as regards the institutional problems.
- p. 2 Tariff quotas for wine in Germany : the Court of Justice cancels the Commission's decision.
- pp 3/4 <u>Prices of different cereals</u> : the Commission answers to written question No. 27 by Mr Mauk.
- p. 4 <u>Common agricultural policy</u>: M. Mauk will make a report to the European Parliament liberal group.
  - Amount of the levy applicable to soft wheat : the Commission authorises Italy to invoke the regulation escape clause.
  - <u>Visit to the Commission</u> : representatives of the Bavarian Government received by President Hallstein.
- p. 5 Agreements : two negative attestations published in the Official Gazette.
  - Community enquiry on wage-levels : towards a gradual harmonisation?
- p. 6 Interpenetration.
- p. 7 Jean Monnet receives the "freedom medal".
  - Bonn Franco-German talks : the problem of wheat prices.
  - Italian banana monopoly : the Commission's recommendations.
  - Economic and Social Committee : end of the session.
  - French fruit and vegetable imports : prohibition decided.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2953 :

- p. 1 <u>llth ECSC Activity Report</u>: the H.A. makes a detailed analysis of the Parliament's resolution.
  - SOREMA-"OBERRHEINISCHE KOHLENUNION" link-up : extension refused .
  - German T.U.Conference : the H.A. will be represented.
  - Two steel companies fined for failure to report investment projects.
- p. 2 Court of Justice : the Schlieker appeal rejected as inadmissible.
- pp 2/3 ECSC-Latin America : the H.A. is ready to collaborate with any plans of the EEC Commission.
- p. 3 Knutange UCPMI merger : the H.A. examines the request for authorisation.
  - Council of Ministers : the agenda for the next meeting on July 15th.
  - Jean Monnet receives the "freedom medal".

\* See over : The advantage to him who takes the initiative.

Luxembourg, 5th July 1863

\* in to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1594 :

- p. 1 Economic influence of the energy price : the European Commission assigns to a group of experts the task of making a study.
  - Increase of barley and wheat target prices : France goes over the limits calculated by her.
  - Rey-Blumenthal meeting.
- p. 2 Community meat supplies : the statistical office draws up a balance sheet.
  - Common agricultural policy : the Commission has just replied to written question No. 34 asked by M. Faure.
- p. 3 Community policy on agreements : statement by M. Verloren van Themaat.
- p. 4 Turnover taxes / aid for the developing countries / incomes policy : the Economic and Social Committee defines its position.
- p. 5 Euratom : new director at the foreign relations division
  - EFTA : M. Lange becomes President of the EFTA Council of Ministers.
  - ENEA: construction of a hyper flux reactor.
  - Euratom : visit by the Brazilian Head of Nuclear Energy

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2954 :

- p. 1 Steel market situation : slight fall in the prices pressure
- pp1/2 Iron ore mining in Germany : possible reduction of 11 million tons
- p. 2 Falck reduces its schedule prices.
  - Thyssen-Phoenix Rheinrohr merger may be authorised next week.
  - "Schneider" intends to merge with Creusot.
- p. 3 Dumping in the USA : a case of literal jurisprudence.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- Franco-German talks in Bonn : no formula found for contacts with the British.
- Oil and energy policy: written question by M. Pedini on the new French system of refining permits in France.

\* See over : A Parliament House for a directly elected Parliament.

#### Luxembourg, 6th July 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1595 :

- p. 1 Euratom : the execution of the research programme for 1964.
  - Community supplies of natural uranium : Euratom Commission Council debate before the end of the year.
  - <u>EEC-Isreal</u> : Mr Rey considers that the Community cannot refuse to go beyond its initial proposals.
- p. 2 <u>Prohibition of French fruit and vegetable imports</u>: the French authorities observed the terms of the Community regulations.
  - Euratom : visit of a Bavarian government delegation.
  - Free movement of labour : the housing shortage the big obstacle.according to the parliamentary Social Committee.
- p. 3 <u>EEC-Greece</u> : towards a harmonisation of policies with regard to cereals, fruit and vegetables.
  - <u>German compensatory import taxes</u> : the Commission decides to withdraw authorisation for biscuits, pastry and wafers from member states.
  - OECD Turkish consortium : 1963 a satisfactory year.
  - British nuclear programme : new difficulties.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2955 :
- p. 1/2 <u>Ruhr coal selling organs</u> : incompatible with Treaty system of competition according to Dutch arguments before the Court of Justice.
- p. 2 Sorap : alteration of the customs nomenclature.
  - Economic influence of the cost of energy : the EEC Commission appoints a committee of experts to examine the problem.

\* The Week in Europe.

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# Luxembourg, 8th July 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1596 :

- p. 1/2 Preparation for the next Council of Ministers : state of progress.
- p. 2 COMECON : programme of industrial specialisation adopted.
- p. 3 Association of dependent overseas territories : the problem of the right of establishment is still causing some trouble.
  - European Development Fund : notice of tenders by African states.
- p. 4 <u>Industrial concentration</u> : study to be made of the legal problems posed by the application of article 86.
- p. 5 Preparation for the Kennedy negotiations : report on state of progress to be made to Council of Ministers.
  - EFTA : the TUC is disappointed with the way things are going.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2956 :

- p. 1 Steel prospects for the 3rd quarter : imports up on 1963.
- p. 2 Pig iron sales by alignment : a third of the total.
- pp 2/3 ECSC domestic coal imports : 1963 total will be double 1962.
- p. 3 Workers' housing : 7 million dollars' worth of H.A. loans will be for this purpose
   Competition in transport : the waterways claim equality of treatment with other forms of transport.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- Towards a United States of Europe : speech by Mr Jean Monnet to the Free Trade Unions.
- Union of Capitals' of the Community formed in Brussels.
- Spaak Kruschev talks.
- Alliance of European Press Agencies : two-yearly assembly.

\* See over : the Intergovernmental method.

### Luxembourg, 9th July 1963

- \* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1597 :
- p. 1 <u>American poultry exports</u> : the EEC will hardly be able to satisfy the U.S. requests as they stand.
- pp 1/2 European University at Florence : The Italian Government may now follow up the Bonn declaration.
- p. 2 Colloquium on housing policy : the participants and the agenda.
  - Euratom France : possible negotiations for the creation of a school for nuclear specialists at Saclay.
  - Fruit imports : the Commission has fixed certain reference prices.
- p. 3 EEC-Latin America : the significance of the meeting fixed for July 16th.
  - Education : the parliamentary Committee for Research and Culture calls for the adoption.for a vigorous policy.
- p. 4 Intra-Community tobacco trade : the Commission's reply to question No 36 by Mr Maurice Faure.
  - EEC Synchronised Programme : Mr Eugène Schaus tells the Political Committee of the Consultative Assembly he is pessimistic.
- p. 5 <u>Common policy for beef</u> : results of the last meeting of the Special Agricultural Committee.
  - European film competition : closing date put off till September 15th.
- p. 6 <u>E.F.T.A.</u>: the Economic Committee of the T.U.C. wants to increase cooperation with the European unions.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2957 :

- p. 1 Coal production : slight increase in output per day.
- pp 1/2 Italian steel workers : numbers increasing rapidly in the Mezzogiorno.
- p. 2 ECSC finished steel production : rapid increase in percentage of flat products.

p. 3 - Srap : ECSC estimates for the 3rd gtr 1963.

- Inland waterways : a programme of rationalisation and modernisation is called for.

\* See over : London and the European capital market.

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#### <u>No. 715</u>

#### Luxembourg, 10th July 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1598 :

- p. 1 Opening of the EEC and Euratom Councils : first set of decisions. - Eurosyndicat share index : 145.87 (-0.30%).
- p. 2 <u>EEC-Lebanon negotiations</u> : the Lebanon asks for technical and financial aid to make her exports competitive.
- p. 3 U.S. poultry exports to Germany : 2/3rds drop by comparison to 1962 during the first four months of 1963.
  - <u>Poultry foodstuff sanitary requirements</u> : the Germans call for a harmonisation of national laws.
- p. 4 EEC 6th General Report : opinions given by the parliamentary committees for Health Protection, Social Affairs and Cooperation with Developing countries.
  - Intra-Community trade in finished products : increase in import levy.
  - Euratom 1964 draft Research Programme : the Scientific and Technical Committee gives its approval.
- p. 5 Interpenetration.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2958 :
- p. 1 ECSC June steel production : crude pig iron production drops more rapidly than that of steel.
- p. 2 <u>Energy policy</u>: continuing study of how to aid the Community steel industry.
   New pig\_iron guotas: criticized as excessive by the producers.
- pp 2/3 ECSC-Third country trade in pig-iron : appreciable increase in imports especially from Communist bloc.
- p. 3 Industrial zoning : a study is under preparation in the H.A.

\* See over : East and West.

#### Luxembourg, 11th July 1963

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\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1599 :

- p. 1/2 <u>Council of Ministers</u> : agreement between the Six on meetings with the British every quarter within W.E.U.
- p. 2 <u>Euratom-U.S.</u>: the Community may get more tahn 30 tons of uranium 235 from America.
- p. 3 EEC economic situation: renewed expansion in all six countries.
  - Turkey : the OECD study calls on the Turkish Government to intensify its effort to increase exports.
- p. 4 Cereal price harmonisation : a general debate is urgently needed.
- p. 5 Preparations for the 'Kennedy round': the Community will not define its position on the tariff cutting method before the end of the month.

- <u>Switzerland</u> : the Federal Council does not expect negotiations will be resumed in the near future.

- p. 6 Agricultural incomes etc. : questions No 53 and 54 by Mr Vredeling.
  - <u>Promotion of Euratom civil servants</u> : the Commission's reply to question No 43 by Mr Vals.
  - Newspaper tariff quota : decision in favour of France.
  - Iran-Euratom : Mr Hedayat presents his letters of credence to Mr Chatenet.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No 2959 :

- p. 1 ECSC-UK Council of Association : preparations under weight for a meeting in Sept.
  - Thyssen Phoenix-Rheinrohr merger : the H.A. gives its approval.
  - American scrap : composite-price still at 25.17 dollars per ton.
- p. 2 <u>Steel industry investment programmes</u> : dramatic fall in value of projects announced in 1st gtr of 1963.
- p. 3 H.A. loans : details on the break-down.
  - Thyssen Phoenix-Rheinrohr merger : Thyssen appeals against the conditions imposed by the H.A.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- ECSC-Austria : negotiations for Austrian association will not begin till the negotiations with the EEC have been virtually concluted.

\* See over : Clearing the air.

# Luxembourg, 12th July 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1600 :

- p. 1 EEC-UK relations : the significance and extent of the contacts in W.E.U.
- pp 1/2 Working Programme : the details have not yet been settled.
- p. 2 EEC-Associated Overseas States : the new Convention to be signed on July 20th.
   EEC-Turkey : the Council proposes the Association Agreement be signed in Ankara in Sectember.
  - Kennedy Negotiations: Mr Hertert to have preparatory talks in Europe July 14th 23rd.
  - American poultry exports : declaration of intention by the Six.
- p. 3 <u>Harvest situation in the EEC</u> : in most regions the winter damage has been made good by the end of June.
  - Italian pork levies : the Commission authorisation for the reduction in the levies till July 31st.
  - French state aid to farming regions : the Commission considers them compatible with the Treaty.
  - Sardinian citrus fruit growing industry : Commission does not raise any objection to public aid.
  - Commission External Relations Dept. : new appointment.
  - Colloquium organised by the Euro-African parliamentary association.
  - F.M.I. : five new African members.
- p. 4 Forecast of economic expansion in 1963 : the figures must be revised downward.
  - Common policy on dairy produce and fats : the Commission's reply to question No 38 by Mr Vredeling.
  - <u>Reorganisation of the agricultural departments</u> : the Commission's reply to question No 39 by Mr Briot.
- p. 5 Pork, egg and poultry regulations : the Parliamentary Agricultural Committee approves the proposed modifications to Regulations 20, 21 and 22.
  - <u>Euratom</u> : contract signed with KRB for the inclusion of the Grummingen power station in the U.S.-Euratom power reactor programme.
  - Court of Justice : decisions next week in three cases involving Commission decisions.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2960 :
- p. 1 <u>Rolled products</u> : new orders received in June relatively satisfactory.
  - ECSC UK Council of Association : meeting fixed for September 24th.
- pp 2/3 Pig iron and crude steel production : investment trends.
- p. 3 European miner's statute : according to Mr Philipp, it must be separate from any national collective agreements.
  - ..... and in the Joint Supplement :
  - Fusion of the Executives and strengthening of Parliament : full debate in the Council on July 29th.
  - Fusion of Executives and direct elections to Parliament : statement by Mr Gérard Jacquet.

See over : Nothing to pay.

## Luxembourg, 13th July 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1601 :

- p. 1/2 <u>Council "agricultural" session</u> : the Ministers will try and fix the market organisation for rice, dairy produce and beef.
- p. 2/3 <u>Agricultural questions and the Working Programme</u> : matters to be settled on July 29th.
- p. 3 European Agricultural Charter : meeting of the responsible organisations to be held at Strasbourg in November.
- p. 4 <u>Road vehicle weights and dimensions</u> : the Transport Committee is preparing the Parliamentary opinion on the Commission's proposals.
  - Aid to developping countries : aid terms seem to be improving.
  - Strengthening of the Dollar : statement by the American Bankers' Association.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2961 :

- p. 1 British steel exports : up on last year's figures.
  - Direct sale to biggest coal consumers: the Präsident coal selling group to modify its commercial regulations.
  - Oil fuel : slight increase in price in Germany.
- p. 2 Scrap : exports to third countries remain very low.
  - Investment projects : High Authority help.
  - Steel hero : posthumous grant by the High Authority.

\* The Week in Europe.

Luxembourg, July 15th, 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1602 :

- pp.1/2 Common external tariff for oil products : the different arguments.
- p. 2 Oil industry : imports, investment and stockpiling.
  - Japanese admission to OECD : Japanese commitment to abolish quantitative import restrictions on industrial goods before the end of 1964.
  - Nigeria : the head of the new mission.
- p. 3 EURATOM : Community and U.S. firms invited to submit research projects for the KRB reactor.
  - Euratom Commission : visit by the German Minister of Science.
  - "Euratom Information" : second number just out.
  - Technical and bilateral aid : proceedings of the Council technical assistance group.
- p. 4 Fats market organization : the Commission to make proposals to the Council.
  - Promotion of E.E.C. civil servants : the Commission's reply to question No. 42 by Mr. Vals.
- p. 5 Kennedy negotiations : Governor Herter has talks with the Brussels Commission.
  - Council 'agricultural' session : beginning of a four day marathon.
  - Court of Justice : the E.E.C. Commission upheld by the Court in cases 25 and 34/62 (refusal of tariff quotas).

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2962 :

- p. 1 E.C.S.C. Council of Ministers : emergency measures against pig-iron imports; statement by the H.A. on the coal situation.
- p. 2 Investment in rolled strip : approaching growth rate for sections and flat products.
- p. 3 ARBED : share capital to be increased from 3 to 5 million francs.
  - Working conditions in the steel industry : the mixed ad hoc Gommission examines the repercussions of technical progress.
  - Workers 'representation in industry' : new H.A. publication.

... and in a Joint Supplement :

- Nuclear energy for industrial use : Euratom disputes the conclusions of the Western European coal industry's study group.

\* See over : "Things are beginning to change".

# Luxembourg, 16th July 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1603 :

- p. 1 EEC social and economic progress in 1962: large rise in wage levels, partially offset by rising prices.
- pp 1/2 Programme of Action : various chapters to be discussed in the next few days.
- pp 3/4 EEC economy : global forecasts for the year.
- p. 4 Euratom: possible return of Professor Mossbauer.
  - Latin America : first contact meeting with the Commission and the Permanent Representatives.
- p. 5 State tobacco monopolies : the Commission's reply to question No 35 by Mr M.Faure.
- p. 6 Harmonisation of fiscal systems : studies get under weigh.
  - Council of Ministers of Agriculture : the session continues.
  - Euratom : Mr Martelli acquitted.
  - Dutch Government : Mr Marijnen asked to form a Cabinet.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2963 :
- pp 1/2 <u>Steel</u>: no reversal of the present unsatisfactory trends is in sight, according to Mr Hellwig of the H.A.
- p. 2 Bonn Cabinet : Mr Westrick is quoted as possible successor to Professor Erhard as Economics Minister.
  - Ruhr coal : rupture of the negotiations with the Italian consumers.
  - Revision of the Treaty of Paris : a special committee to study the adaptation of the Treaty to present requirements is called for.
    - \* See over : The meeting in W.E.U.: striking the iron while it is hot.
    - \* EUROPE/Documents No 210 : THE RESULTS OF THE SECOND COMMUNITY ENQUIRY INTO WAGES IN CERTAIN INDUSTRIAL SECTORS -

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# Luxembourg, 17th July 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1604 :

- p. 1 <u>EEC-Turkey</u> : Ankara accepts the date of September 12th for the signature of the Association Agreement.
  - EEC-UK : British reply on proposal for contacts within WEU before the end of the month.
- pp 1/2 Special French tax on Italian refrigerators : the Commission's decision to authorise upheld by the Court (case 13/63).

- pp 2/6 <u>Council 'agricultural' session</u> : slight progress with regard to the proposed market organisation for rice. Widening of the intra-Community wine quotas.
- p. 3 Tariff quotas : the Court of Justice upholds the discretionary power of the Commission under article 25/3 of the Treaty (case 34/62).

- p. 4 Fiscal burden on the EEC hotel industry : the Commission's reply to question No 44 by Mr Pleven.
  - <u>Time-table for notification of old ententes</u> : the Commission's reply to question No 45 by Mr Deringer.
- p. 5 Economic prospects for 1964 : first provisional forecasts by the Commission.
   Euratom : examination of the bases of the next research budget.

\* In the ECSC Bulletin No. 2964 :

- p. 1 Steel prices : reductions by the Italian industry.
  - H.A. aid to the Société des Forges de Hennebont : written question No 56 by Mr Hervé Laudrin.
- pp 1/2 German compensatory tax on steel products : the H.A. asks the Bonn Government to give it further information on the recent rise.
- p. 2 British steel exports : strong recovery especially to the 6, the US and the USSR.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- Energy policy : Mr Lapie advocates collaboration with private firms.

- Commercial policy : Mr Birkel calls for majority vote decisions as from next year.

- Interest rates : increase in American and Belgian discount rates.

\* See over : The dollar once again.

<sup>-</sup> Plaumann case : the Court of Justice defines the notion of 'individual interest' (case 25/62).

Luxembourg, 18th July 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1605 :

- p. 1 <u>EEC-Austria</u> : exploratory talks between the Commission and the Austrian mission.
- pp 1/2 European economic programme : the Commission makes a series of procedural proposals.
- p. 2 End of the Council "agricultural" session : certain progress on the execution of existing regulations and a definite improvement in the climate.
  - EEC-UK : favourable British reaction to the proposed meetings within UEO.
- p. 3 EEC-Greece : new tariff cuts next autumn on Greek raisins.
  - <u>Euratom</u>: new brochure on the harmonisation of nuclear science teaching in the Community.
  - Northern Lorraine and Belgian Luxembourg : question No 57 by Mr Vredeling.
  - Eurocontrol : Ireland becomes a member.
  - 4 Customs duties on petroleum products : certain technical progress made, but the basic divergences remain.
    - Emergency measures : the problem will now go before the Ministers.
    - Poultry lock-gate price : strong COPA opposition to any reduction.
- p. 5 Tariff quotas for 1st gtr 1963 : question No 58 by Mr Malène.
  - European Investment Bank credits : question No 59 by Mr Malène.
  - Social security regulations : question No 62 by Mr Troclet.
  - Pres. Hallstein receives three ambassadors.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No 2965 :

- p. 1 Steel investments : High Authority verdicts on various investment projects.
  - <u>Belgian coal mine closures</u> : the H.A. will wait to see the results of the programme of reform before answering the Belgian request.
  - American scrap : the composite price rises to 25.50 dollars.
- p. 2 Steel trade merger : "Dortmund-Hörder Hüttenunion" enlarges its sales network.
- pp 2/3 H.A. readaptation aids : German and French coal and iron miners benefit.
- p. 3 Remote heating stations : number of in Germany.

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\* See over : For or against 'programmation'.

## Luxembourg, 19th July 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1606 :

- p. 1 <u>Meeting of national tax department heads</u> : no mention of any eventual tax standstill.
  - <u>Monetary Committee</u> : the latest American steps and Belgian problems will dominate Monday's debates.
- p. 2 <u>EEC-Latin America</u> : the concrete trade measures that Latin America expects of the Community.
  - <u>Community business enquiries</u> : the Dutch Economic and Social Committee calls for Dutch participation.
- p. 3 FEC Commission personnel management : question No 55 by Mr Vals.
  - Integration of Community personnel : question No 60 and 61 to the EEC and Euratom Commissions by Mr Faler.
  - Ireland : Mr Lambert Schaus to pay an official visit.
- p. 4 Fats market organisation : COPA disagrees with the EEC Commission proposals.
   Social aspects of agricultural policy : disagreement between COPA and the farmworkers' union on the dates for setting up the two Consultative Committees.
- p. 5 Pork and poultry market organisations : ten new regulations passed by the Council. - Congo-Leopoldville : agreement for EEC financial aid signed.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2966 :
- p. 1 Belgian energy imports : statement by UNIBECE.
  - Flat-Breda merger : the H.A. may modify its conditions for authorisation.
- pp 1/2 <u>German bill for coal rationalisation</u>: the H.A. resquests the German Government to delay proceedings until it has time to study how it will work.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- US monetary steps : the aim and extent of the new measures.
- November Parliament Councils "Colloquium" : the two themes will be Atlantic policy and the political role of Parliament.

\* See over : Something's moving in the Labour Party.

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1607 :

- p. 1 Convention of Association with African states : remarks by President Hallstein on the occasion of the official signature.
- pp 1/2 <u>Euratom</u> : the Nuclear Research Consultative Committee examines the Commission's 1964 programme.
- pp 2/3 <u>Kennedy negotiations</u>: the state of play on the eve of the meeting of the GATT preparatory committee.
- p. 3 <u>EEC-UK</u>: the attitude of the Labour Party to the EEC will be influenced by the development of the common agricultural policy.
  - M. Hallstein receives the head of the Haiti Mission, H.E. Jules Blanchet.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No 2967 :

- p. 1 Latin American steel industry : the H.A.'s reply to question No 46 by Mr Pedini.
- pp 1/2 British steel imports : recent figures show marked increase the ECSC remains the UK's main supplier.
- p. 2 Japonese secret price agreements : an enquiry is under weigh by the Japonese Fair Trade Commission.
  - 2nd ECSC experimental building programme : special meeting to examine results.
  - German steel industry : the Sunday working problem.
  - Energy Policy Committee : proceedings broken off till Septmber 10th.

\* The Week in Europe.

## Luxembourg, 22th July 1963

\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1608 :

- p. 1 French car insurance : the new premiums on foreign cars amount to a quantitative restriction.
  - Mr Herter in Rome.
  - Insurance of Euratom installation : choice between applying to outside firms or being their own insurer.
- pp 2/3 <u>American poultry exports</u> : the next Council will continue its examination of the American requests.
- pp 3/4 <u>Common transport policy</u>: the Federation of Dutch Industries considers the Commission's proposals inacceptable - but the German Bundesrat is generally favourable.
- p. 4 <u>Euratom</u>: the problem of the utilisation of credits not used up during the first five-year research programme.
  - Italian imports of eggs in shell : the Commission rejects a reduction in the levy as unjustifiable.
  - Benelux-UK Committee : to start meeting in September.
- p. 5 Interpenetration.
  - \* In the ECSC Bulletin No. 2968 :
- p. 1 <u>Industrial reconversion</u>: the French Government asks the H.A. to take part in a study of the Decazeville region.
  - <u>Labour developments in ECSC industries</u> : the effects of increasing productivity and mechanisation.
- p. 2 Coal mining research : public support in the countries of the Community.
  - Dortmund-Hörder Hüttenunion : rationalisation of the Dortmund factory.
  - Ruhr coal sales organisations : decision expected next spring.
- p. 3 Canalisation of the Moselle : the state of progress completion by next spring.

\* See over : Towards a reform of the international monetary system ?

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\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1609 :

- p. 1 <u>American monetary mesures</u>: Mr Marjolin underlines the Community's interest in the success of these steps.
  - <u>Kennedy negotiations</u> : the GATT preparatory Committee resumes its work in a "constructive" atmosphere.
- p. 2 U.N. Trade and Development Conference : ECOSOC decides to hold in Geneva from March 23rd to June 15th.
  - <u>German vegetable imports</u>: Bonn's decision to suspend imports of certain vegetables may not be compatible with the Community regulations.
  - Commission-EEC Chambers of Commerce talks : problems of mutual interest discussed.
  - Development Aid : exchange of views between representatives of OECD and East Africa.
- p. 3 U.S.-Canada negotiating rights on quantity wheat : the two countries would like to see the expiry date put off till the end of 1964.
  - Improvement of agricultural structures : the Permanent Committee studies the information provided by the member states.
  - <u>Magneto-hydrodynamics</u> : international symposium at Paris under the auspices of ENEA.
  - GATT : Cyprus and Tchad become Contracting Parties.
- p. 4 <u>Next cereal trading year</u> : question No 63 about the Council Regulation by Mr Vredeling.
  - International monetary cooperation : fourth Annual Report by the EMA Directing Committee.
- pp 4/5 Pig-meat levies : special dispensations suggested by the Commission.
- p. 5 Belgian "Vulcain" reactor to propell the first British nuclear merchantman.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2969 :

- p. 1 <u>German coal rationalisation association</u> : first meeting between the High Authority and the Bonn Government next week.
- pp 1/2 ECSC and Kennedy negotiations : should there be a harmonisation of tariffs before the opening of the negotiations.
- p. 2 Energy Policy Committee : the Ministers may be asked to give new instructions.

\* See over : The outlines of a reform of the international monetary system.

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\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1610 :

- p. 1 Japanese sewing machines : question No 64 by Mr Hahn.
- pp 1/2 Sole agency contracts : possiblity of collective decisions.
- p. 1 Eurosyndicat share index : 144,41 (-1.55).
- p. 2 European Development Fund : four projects approved by the Council.
- p. 3 <u>Commission Department of Agriculture</u> : the working programme covers the extension of the common policy and the application of existing regulations.
  - European Schools' Day : Mr Heath to distribute the prizes.
- p. 4 Euratom-Italy relations : 1964 could be a decisive year.
  - Germany and Benelux tariff quotas : decisions by the Commission.
  - <u>Commission-Latin American delegations</u> : the Commission's reply to question No 50 by Mr Vredeling.
  - Netherlands : Mr Marijnen presents his Cabinet to Queen Juliana.
- p. 5 Dutch protest against any reduction of lock-gate price on American poultry exports ans against German import suspensions.
  - Sicilian wine industry aid project : the Commission has nothing to say.
  - Vertical integration in agriculture : a study by the Commission.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2970 :
- p. 1 Forced execution of H.A. sanctions : an Italian steel company appeals to the Naples Court.
  - Thyssen Phoenix Rheinrohr merger : Thyssen still intends to bring an appeal against the terms of the H.A. decision.
- pp 1/2 British coal exports : the export drive on the continent begins to pay off.

p. 2 - H.A. press statement after Parliamentary debates : question No 66 by Mme Stroebel.

- \* See over : Special committee or waste of time ?
- \* EUROPE/Brief Notes No. 108 : I T A L Y

#### Luxembourg, 25th July 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No 1611 :

- p. 1 <u>The "Poultry War"</u>: the United States will take retaliatory measures if they fo not get satisfaction from the Six next week.
  - U.N. Trade Conference : talks between the Secretary General Mr Prebish and Prof. Hallstein.
  - Import tax-export rebate stand-still : the Commission suggests the need for a precise interpretation of the terms of the agreement.
- p. 2 <u>Horizontal agreements</u>: the Commission to establish an order of priority enablingit to tackle the most serious cases first.
- pp 2/3 Animal foodstuffs containing milk : a Commission regulation fixing the 'compensatory amount'.
- p. 3 Notification of agreements : the Commission proposes the time-limit be extended for three years in certain cases.
  - German cucumber imports : the Commission approves suspension.
- p. 4 Coccoa and chocolate : towards an alignment of national lows.
   Netherlands : the composition of the new cabinet.
- p. 5 Fisheries Conference : most of the EEC states are in favour of accepting the U.K.'s invitation.
  - EEC aid for Ruanda flood disaster : question No 65 by Mr Metzger.
  - <u>Cucumber exports to Germany</u> : the Dutch Government offers to impose minimum export prices.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2971 :

- p. 1 ECSC steel production : comparative development of the six countries.
  - American scrap : composite-price still at 25.50 dollars.
- p. 2 <u>Rationalisation association</u>: H.A.-German Government talks begin in Bonn on the 26th.
  - After the holidays : a heavy programme of work awaits the H.A.
  - Paris anti-dumping agreement : difficulties of enforcement on both sides.

\* See over : The dollar, the Community and capital outflows.

# Luxembourg, 26th July 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No, 1612 :

- p. 1 French national oil monopoly : the Commission's recommendations to the Paris Government.
- pp 1/2 Procedure for agreements : the Commission adopts regulations covering the hearings of firms.
- p. 2 <u>EEX:-Great Britain positive reply</u> from London about contacts within W.E.U. - <u>Associated African states</u> : new investment fund. - Japan becomes a member of O.E.C.D.
- p. 3 Trade in food products for finishing : the Commission extends its decision of Ist July till the end of the year.
  - Industrial property : the U.K. asks to take part in Community studies.
  - Description of Commission posts : question No 67 by Mr Vals.
  - Euratom : Mr Zaccheroni to be head of the Vice-President of the Commission.
- p. 4 <u>EEC-US dispute on agriculture</u> : agreement should be possible as long as the Community is resolutely outward-looking, according to Ambassador Tuthill.
  - <u>COMECON</u> : Rumania gets her way with regard to the plans for industrial specialisation.
- p. 5 <u>EEC</u> <u>Greece Council of Association</u>: accelerated customs reductions for raising. - President Hallstein receives the IRI commemorative medal.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2972 :

- p. 1 The problem of pig-iron imports : the H.A. experts examine the results of the enquiry into production costs.
- pp 1/2 <u>Commercial policy towards the Communist bloc</u>: the first measures of harmonisation should have an encouraging psycho-affect, according to Prof. Hallstein.
- p. 2 <u>Air pollution by the steel industry</u> : studies being financed by OECD. - <u>COMECON</u> : approval of second Roumanian steel works.

..... in the Joint Supplement :

- Morger of the Executives : prospects for an agreement in the Council of Ministers.
- European currency : a French proposal.
- Notherlands : further details on the new Dutch Government.

\* See over : The Europe of peace and hope. -

\* EUROPE/Documents No. 208 : THE HIGH AUTHORITY OF THE ECSC AND THE PARLIAMENT : THE SOCIALIST INDICTMENT, THE STATEMENT ISSUED BY THE PARLIAMENT AND THE HIGH AUTHORITY'S REPLY

#### Luxembourg, 27th July 1963

- p. 1/2/3 <u>Council of Ministers</u> : the Synchronised Working Programme will hopefully be adopted at next week's session - details of the agenda.
- p. 3 <u>Oil and natural gas</u> : the ENI pipeline and the exploitation of the Groningue gas field.
  - World Disarmament Fund : a new suggestion for using the savings from disarmament for the battle against hunger.

- <u>Kennedy Negotiations</u> : the tariff reduction plan will not be ready before next September.

- \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2973:
- p. 1/2 Benelux steel industry labour force : the importance of foreign labour.
- p. 2 <u>Consultative Committee</u>: work will be resumed in September.
   <u>ECSC-UK</u>: the Belgian steel industry deplores the break-down in the negotiations last January.

\* The Week in Europe.

<sup>\*</sup> In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 2973 :

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1614 :

- p. 1 Measures equivalent to quantitative restrictions : the Commission draws up a programme with a view to their identification and eventual abolition.
- p.1/2 Tea and tropical woods : E.E.C. U.K. arrangement for the abolition of duties from January 1st 1964.
- p. 2 Potteries Convention : the next recommendation by the Commission.
  - <u>E.E.C.</u> India : the Foreign Ministers to examine the Indian memorandum of last May.
    - <u>FURATOM</u> : an additional 3.9 million dollar budget for the second research programm.
- p. 3 Reduction of levy on poultry imports : new protest by the professional organisations.
  - EURATOM : the Commission invites firms to collaborate in its programme for the treatment of radioactive waste.
  - COMECON : the plans for economic integration approved.
  - Commission : death of two Belgian officials.
- p. 4 German banana imports : nil tariff import quota of 443,000 tons for 1963.
  - EURATOM : the second research programme gets going.
  - . F.F.C. Greece : increase in trade since association.
  - International Coffee Council : first meeting in London.
- p. 5 Aid by OFCD countries : increase this year after stagnation in 1962.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bullstin No. 2974 :

- p.1/3 Long term energy prospects : the precision of the Executives' study is appreciated by the experts.
- p. 2 Concentration in the F.C.S.C. steel industry : competition between the leading firms more balanced than before the war.
  - German steel industry : the North Rhine and Westphalia collective contracts denounced.

... and in a Joint Supplement :

- Europe and relations with America : General de Gaulle's press conference.

\* See over : The bomb and all that.

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Luxembourg, 30th July 1963

° In tcday's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1615 :

- p. 1 <u>EEC-Greece</u> : the Six are to accelerate customs reductions on Greek wines and dried grapes.
  - -. Common external tariff : duties supended on 30 chemicals,
  - Appcintment : new deputy member of the Consultative Committee on the Free Movement of Workers.
- pp 1/2/3 Common policy for fats : the Commission submits three documents to the Council
- pp 3/4 <u>Council of Ministers</u> : probable adoption of the Synchronised Working Programme No date fixed yet for the Agricultural Fund regulation.
- p. 5 <u>Aid to underdeveloped countries</u> : the recommendations of the DAC Chairman's report.
  - Austrian economic policy : the shorter measures have agravated the long terme problems.according to the OECD report.
- p. 6 <u>Eurosyndicat share index</u> : Evolution over the second quarter 1963 and since it foundation.
  - In the ECSC Bulletin No 2975 :
- p. 1 Coal market : new fall in coal stocks in the Community.
  - <u>Steel imports</u>: the H.A. to study the advantages and disadvantages of the Frer proposal.
- p. 2 <u>Steel industry concentration</u> (II) : several cartels have close links with the steel using industries.
  - <u>Ruhr Coal Sales Organisations</u> : optimism regarding sales prospects during the coming year.

• See over : Which Europe?

• EUROPE/Brief Notes No 111 : France

#### Luxembourg, 31st July 1963

+ In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1616 :

- <u>Commission's proposal on "medium term economic policy</u>" : a group of experts will prepare some "prospective studies".
- "Eurosyndicat" share index : 147.09 against 144.41
- Notification on agreements, transfers and the A.O.S. Development Fund : the EEC Council's decisions.
- The Synchronised Working Programme for 1963 : finally adopted except certain essen tial parts left unsettled.
- <u>Poultry quarrel</u> : the Council charges the Commission with a report for September and to take the contacts with the Americans up again.
  - Mr Walter Hallstein receives the Prime Minister of Burundi.
  - <u>Seasonal workers! statute</u> : publication in the O.G. of the Communities of the Regulation No 73/1963.
  - <u>Second rapprochement on the customs duties on cocca</u> : publication in the O.G. of the Communities of the decision of the Member States Representatives.
  - Assistance by the European Social Fund to the F.R. of Germany : publication in the O.G. of the four decisions of the Community.

+ In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2976 :

- German coal rationalisation association : the talks will continue in September. - Compulsory stockage of coal and oil : the German draft bill.
- Domestic coal : the German coal trade complains of insufficient supplies.
- pp 1/2 The deterioration of the steel market : the gap between supply and demand may get worse.
  - <u>Concentration in the steel industry (III)</u> : crude steel production by size of Factory has not changed essentially over the last ten years.

... and in a Joint Supplement :

- The institutional problem : a watered-down resolution of the Council on the powers of the European Parliament - no agreement on a plan for the merger of the Executives.

· Contacts with Great Britain.

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- + EUROPE/DOCUMENTS No.207 : The problems of the European and Atlantic nuclear deterrents : Highlights of the debate in the Western European Union Assembly.
- + KUROPE/DOCUMENTS No.213 : President Kennedy's message to Congress on the American balance of payments.

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+ In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1617 :

- p. 1 <u>Research institute for diseases caused by radiation</u> : the association contract between the Karlsruhe centre and Euratom could be signed at the end of the year.
  - Nomination of the EEC Commission : new directors at the "Social Affairs" and "Vegetable Products".
  - Euratom : organisation of a conference of nuclear enterprise leaders of the Commun:
  - American poultry : the ambassador Tuthill meets M. Jean Rey.
- p. 2 <u>The dairymarket</u>: the financial efforts of the Member States to support the market.
   <u>Speech of Mr Hallstein at Cologne</u>: Europe must share the burden with the United States in world politics.
- p. 3 Japan, new member of OECD : the European exporters stand largely behind the Americans on the Japanese market.
  - "European" declarations by Mr Marijnen : the Communities must stay outward-looking the rest of the world.

+ In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No 2977 :

p. 1 - The ECSC coal mines : the Free Trade Unions call for measures to increase the competitivity of coal.

- Japanese steel : the most important post war fusion yet.

- pp 1/2 <u>Investments per ton of coal</u> : differences from country to country to be explained by financial and technical consideration.
- p. 1 American scrap : the Composite-price rises to 25.83 dollars.

..... in the Joint Supplement :

- Luxembourg and the merger of the Executives : M. Eugène Schaus insists on the stren ening of the European Parliament first. Luxembourg, 2nd August 1963

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\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No 1618 :

- p. 1 French cheese exports to Italy : the Commission holds French export aids compatible with the Treaty.
  - <u>American poultry exports</u> : measures of retaliation by the U.S. more than probable.
  - <u>Kennedy negotiations</u>: statement by the Christian Trade Unions.
     <u>Tariff cutting plan</u>: towards a semi-automatic formula involving a certain margin of judgement.
- p. 3 <u>Technical Assistance Groupe</u> : the Commission's reply to question No 47 by Mr Pedint.
  - <u>State enterprise and the rules of competition</u> : the Commission's reply to question No 48 by Mr Burgbacher.
- p. 4 <u>Fruit and vegetables</u> : the Commission passes a regulation enforcing quality controls on imports from third countries.
  - German tobacco imports : Council decision published in the Gazette.
  - French imports of chocolates, etc.: decision authorised maintenance of import tax.
  - Italian soft wheat imports : decision increasing the levy.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No 2978 :

- p. 1 Iron ore : the ECSC's level of dependence will increase with time.
- pp 1/2 Saar coal mines : the losses for 1962.
- p. 2 <u>Belgian ideas on the steel problem</u> : towards a harmonisation of customs duties and of dumping procedures.
  - <u>Right of Establishment</u>: the H.A. agrees with the Commission's proposals concerning non wage-earning activities.

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1619.:

- p. 1 French preferential postal rates : the French Government agrees to apply to all Community newspapers and publications.
  - Netherlands : the new cabinet will contain a new standing committee for European affairs.
  - Creation of a European Observatory : towards an international dialogue in the field of astronomy.
  - French decrees on oil imports : the Commission's reply to question No. 52 by Mr. Pedini.
- p. 2/3 Intra-Community fresh meat trade : the hygienic requirements directive passed by the Council.
- **p. 3** Harmonisation of census dates : the Commission's reply to question No. 49 by Mr. Pleven.
  - Animal transport conditions : the Commission's reply to question No. 51 by Mr. Kreyssig.
  - Lead, zinc and aluminium tariff quotas : publication in the Gazette of the Commission's decisions.
  - Pork levies : three Council regulations published in the Gazette.
  - Finishing trade : a Commission's decision published in the Gazette.

\* In to-day's E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2979 :

- **p. 1** Growth of German steel imports : the national industry determined to limit by aligning prices.
  - Domestic coal : increased sales on the German market.
- p.1/2 Fall in pig-iron production : Community iron ore feels the pinch more than imported.
  - \* EUROPE/Documents No. 209 : Monetary and financial cooperation in the European Economic Community (A communication sent to the Council by the Commission).

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1620 :

- p. 1 Harmonisation of customs legislation : a necessary complement to the abolition of customs duties.
  - Fruit and vegetables: :Germany fixes a series of minimum prices.
- p. 2 UK policy on Europe : London is counting politically on the new régime in Bonn while preferring industrial cooperation with France.
  - Liberalisation of trade : further series of products freed by France under GATT.
- p. 3 European Develpment Fund : five agreements signed in Brussels.
  - Pork, egg and pcultry levies : publication in the Gazette of three Commission regulations.
  - Social security of migrant workers : three new sets of guides published.
  - G.A.T.T. : Spain becomes the 53rd Contracting Party.

\* In to-day's E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2980 :

- p. 1 Belgian steel prices : a Belgian reply.
- p.1/2 E.C.S.C. scrap market : supply situation fairly encouraging.
- p. 2 Mechanisation of the British coal mines : automatic cutters will be responsible for 90% of total production by 1965.

... and in a Joint Supplement :

- Communaity energy policy (I): the chances of reaching agreement recede as nationalist reflexes get the upper hand.

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1621 :

- **p. 1** The American poultry quarrel : the U.S.A. prepares to take reprisals.
- p. 2 EURATOM: the Rapid Reactor research programme for 1964.
- p. 3 Interpenetration.

\* In to-day's E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2981 :

- p. 1 Community steel investments : average of 13 dollars per ton of steel produced from 1952 to 1961.
  - Future of coal : Ruhr fears for a repetition of the 1957 crisis.
- p.1/2 F.C.S.C. iron ore : double campaign to adapt supply to demand and to increase the competitivity of domestic ores.

... and in a Joint Supplement :

- Chances for a common energy policy (II) : the positions of the other member states.

## Luxembourg, August 7th 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No 1622 :

pp 1/2/3 - The poultry war: the background and the prospects + problematic - for a settlement.

p. 3 - Private investment in underdevelopped countries : the industrialised countries could do most to encourage.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No 2982 :

- p. 1 <u>British price rules</u> : the Iron and Steel Board studies the possibility of abandon ing the present system.
  - German steel exports : fall from 11.2 million tons to 10.8 million tons in 1962.
  - Steel prices : prices have remained stable over the last decade.
- pp 1/2 Community iron ore : the effect of ores from abroad on domestic production.
- p. 2 Mining engineers : new school to be opened at Bochum in October.

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Luxembourg, 8 August 1963

+ In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1623 :

- p. 1 <u>Euratom</u>: the Commission organises a colloquium on the technico-economical aspects of tried nuclear reactors.
  - <u>Holland</u> : appointment for the first time of a Secretary of State charged with European affairs.
  - Poultry battle : surprise and worry in the European capitals.

# p. 2 - Economic state of the Community : both intra-Communauty trade and export on the up.

- Common agricultural policy : four regulations published in the Gazette.
  - Italian tariff quota for tropical woods : the duty reduced from 3% to 1.5%.

- Benelux tobacco imports : the Commission authorises a delay in the alignment of the Benelux tariff on the common external tariff.

- Italian national banana monopoly : publication in the Gazette of the Commission's recommendations.
- Euratom : the second research programme is running into financial difficulties.
- p. 4 <u>OECD "Dragon" reactor</u>: ready for charging in March 1964.
   World Bank : considerable reduction in loans granted last year.

+ In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No 2983 1:

- pp 1/2 <u>Size of firms in the ECSC coal industry</u>: largely imperceptible increase in concentration over the last ten years.
- p. 1 American scrap : the composite-price climbs up to 26.83 dollars.
- p. 2 <u>Steel industry mergers</u>: developments from 1952 to 1961.
   Belgian coal: AURACO founded to promote the use of coal.

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# Luxembourg, 9 August 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1624 :

- p.1 Raw tobacco : France insists on the need for a common policy.
- p.1/2 The U.K. and EEC-US relations : Whitehall fears the situation is playing into de Gaulle's hands.
- p.2 <u>Nuclear fuel retreatment</u>: the Commission is in favour of participating in the "Eurex" project and for obtaining the help of the Atomic Energy Authority.

- EEC Department of Agriculture : programme of studies to be undertaken in 1963.

- Italian frontier obstacles : question No. 68 by Mr. Müller-Hermann.
- p.3 Interpenetration
- p.4 European Development Fund : four social investments approved by the Commission
  - Mr. Karl Roemer : the Advocate General of the Court of Justice receives a high German decoration.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2984 :

- p.1 Coal production in July : up on June 1963 and July 1962.
  - Crude steel production : the rise in the Community accounted for by Germany.
  - <u>Crude pig iron production</u> : slight increase in July by comparison with previous month .
- p.2 Order books for steel : the increase recorded during July was due to third countries.
  - Mr. Roemer : the Advocate General receives a high German decoration.
  - ECSC coal industry : 44 % of production is under the control of the different states.
  - Iron ore : importance as a raw material cost factor has diminished over the decade.

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- Swedish steel prices : downward trend.

\* in the joint supplement :

- International energy policy : the Energy Policy Committee underlines the basic principles follwed in all the major countries.

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#### Luxembourg, 21st August 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1626 :

p. 1 - Oil product imports : Commission recommends France imports more from other EEC State:

pp 1/2 - Lead and zinc mines : Commission authorises German subsidy.

- p. 1 Stock exchange index : Eurosyndicat at 149.30.
- p. 2 Italian engineering exports : Commission opens proceedings against law 103 (export rebates) on two counts.
  - Pottery agreement : Commission asks firms party to the agreement to modify it.
  - CET duty suspension : full list published in Official Gazette.
- p. 3 European Commission : fresh appointments.
  - OECD study on Belgium : Belgium's economic dependence on other EEC States could give rise to concern.
- p. 4 <u>UK-EEC</u>: UK exports to EEC continue to boom.
   <u>Tariff quotas</u>: Commission decisions in favour of Italy and Germany.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2986 :

- p. 2 <u>UK steel product consumption</u>: home consumption up for first time since 1961.
   Energy salon : first international energy salon to be held in Paris.

### Luxembourg, 22nd August 1963

- \* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1627 :
- p. 1 Euratom-U.S. cooperation agreement : signature of amendment designed to enable Euratom to obtain additional quantities of uranium 235.
   - State aids : Commission approval for German and Italian plans.
- pp 1/2 U.N. Trade Conference : the E.E.C. may be invited to participate as such.
- p. 2 <u>Common transport policy</u>: EEC industry hostile to the idea of a legal "fork" (maximum and minimum rates).
- pp 2/3 Agricultural regulations : further texts published in the Official Gazette.
- p. 3 <u>Trade agreements</u> : the contents of the Commission regulation on the hearing of companies affected.
  - Farm finance : new report to be published by the Commission.
- p. 4 Interpenetration.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C . Bulletin No. 2987 :
- pp 1/2 <u>German coal industry</u>: the Rationalisation Association will hold its constituent meeting on September 24th.
- p. 1 American scrap : the composite-price climbs to 27.17 dollars.
- p. 2 Coal Festival at Essen on September 25th.
  - <u>Revision of the ECSC Treaty</u> : German suggestion for suspending the application of certain provisions concerning the coal industry.
  - Poland : coal production will reach 114 tons in 1964.

Luxembourg, 23rd August 1963

+ In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1628 :

p. 1 - Labour problems : fourth annual report by the European Commission.

- Taxes equivalent to customs duties : first directives and recommendations addressed to member states by the Commission.

- Euratom : the United States to deliver 25 tons of heavy water for the Orgel reactor.

p. 2 - Export rebates and import taxes : the interpretation given to the 1960 stand still agreement by the Commission.

- French oil imports : publication in the Official Gazette of the Commission's recommendation.

- p. 3 <u>Commercial state monopolies</u> : the general situation and the intentions of the Commission.
- p. 4 Increasing Commission services : question No.72 by Mr. Pedini.
  - Ex-Belgian Congo economic development programme : question No. 73 by Mr.Pedini.

- Business cycle enquiries : further improvements planned.

- Chancellor Adenauer to visit Rome in September.

+ In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2988 :

- p. 1 <u>Rhine navigation</u> : the proposed modifications of the international Agreement not yet ripe.
- p. 2 Oven coke : fall of 1.8 % in E.C.S.C. production during the first seven months of the year.

Luxembourg, 24th August 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1629 :

- p. 1 French fruit and vegetable exports : the French producers protest against the Commission decision to declare export aids incompatible with the Treaty.
  - <u>Congo-Léo monetary reform</u> : the EEC countries should assume the major part of the financial burden.
  - Death of M. Koenig.
  - GATT : coming meeting of the Italo-Japonese Mixed Committee.
- pp 2/3 <u>Labour problems</u> : the Commission calls on the member States to adopt long term professional training programmes.
- p. 3 <u>Harmonisation of pharmaceutical laws</u> : a new draft directive concerning problems of control.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2989 :

p. 1 - <u>Iron ore</u> : 13.1% fall in Community production during the first 7 months of the year.
 pp 1/2 - Coal stocks : the state of preparation for next winter in the member States.

## Luxembourg, 26th August 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1630 :

- p. 1/2 German import taxes and export rebates : compatibility or otherwise with the Treaty and the 1960 stand-still agreement.
- p. 2 Italian butter imports : Italy agrees to extend quota enlargements granted to third countries to the other member states.
- p. 3 EEC-Associated Agrican states : towards a common definition of origin.
  - Greek raisin exports : Council decision to accelerate tariff cuts in the O.G.
  - Export controls : the Commission recommends for certain products in short supply.
- p. 4 UN Conference on Trade and Development (I) : towards a new international division of labour.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2990 :
- p. 1/2 UK steel industry : continuing increase in exports to the ECSC.
- p. 2 Collective contracts denounced by German miners.
  - German miners' TU Congress at Dusseldorf September 9th-10th.
  - Iron ore supplies : Saar steel firms create new company to import overseas ores.

\* EUROPE/Documents No 217 : THE "CHICKEN WAR" : THE AMERICAN CASE AND THE COMMENCES OF THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION

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- p. 1 European patent : the US ask for it to be made open to citizens of non-member countries.
  - Chicken war : Germans suggest a special meeting of the Council.
- p. 2 Import taxes and export rebates : the Commission reminds the Council of the need for a common method of calculation.
- p. 3 State aid in event of natural disasters : the new procedure would make authorisation semi-automatic.
  - Article 226 (Measures of safeguard) : request for preliminary interpretation before the court of Justice.
  - <u>Regulation No 3</u> (Social security of foreign workers) : request for preliminary inter pretation.
- p. 4 UN Conference on Trade and Development : towards an Action Programme for the removal of all obstacles to developping countries' exports?

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2991:

- p. 1 Solid fuels for domestic uses : increase in ECSC anthracite production.
- p. 2 <u>Steel industry labour force</u> : increased percentage of white-collar workers and management.

### Luxembourg, 28th August 1963

- p. 1 Common energy policy : parliamentary question to the Italian Government by Pedini.
- pp 1/2 French state aid to fruit and vegetables : held incompatible with the Treaty of Rome by the European Commission.
- p. 1 Eurosyndicat share index : slight rise to 150.50.
- p. 2 "Chicken war" : the Commission will discuss the state of play next week before referring to the Council.
  - European Fisheries Conference : a journed till next December.
- p. 3 <u>Non-tariff impediments to intra-Community trade</u> : the Commission calls for the progressive abolition of all measures equivalent to quantitative restrictions.
- p. 4 <u>UN Conference on Trade and Development (III)</u>: towards a system of financial compensation for commodity price fluctuations.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2992 :
- p. 1 Common energy policy : parliamentary question to the Italian Government by Pedini.
- pp 1/2 Tax charges on steel products : German study illustrating the varying levels in the different member countries.
- p. 2 <u>Labour needs in the coal industry</u> : shortages still exist in the ECSC despite the fall in production.
  - U.S. coal production : estimates for the year revised upwards.
- pp 2/3 <u>Public companies and the rules of competition</u> : question No 74 by Mr. Burgbacher (CDU).

<sup>\*</sup> In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1632 :

## Luxembourg, 29th August 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1633 :

- p. 1 European Investment Bank : five projects financed in Greece.
  - Mr Marjolin to visit Greece.
  - Special Council session : decision imminent.

pp 2/3 - Taxes equivalent to customs duties : the problem of definition and identification.

- p. 3 Dutch butter shortage : call for imports.
  - European Agricultural Funds : the Dutch would have preferred them to be devoted to regional development.
  - <u>Norwegian economy</u> : expansion should continue, but the balance of payments situation is worrying, according to the OECD experts.
- p. 4 UN Trade and Development Conference (IV) : towards the creation of a permanent UN body.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2993 :

- p. 1 <u>Thyssen/Phoenix-Rheinrohr merger</u>: Thyssen Hütte A.G. bring a legal appeal against the conditions of the High Authority decision.
- pp 1/2 <u>Ruhr coal selling organisations</u> : the consumers seem to prefer the status quo to the new proposed trading regulations.
- p. 1 American scrap : the composite-price stays at 27.17 dollars.
- p. 2 Community iron mines : rapid fall in the number of workers.

- US steel : progressive reduction in exports towards the ECSC.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- EEC-UK contacts : the WEU-Council will meet in The Hague on October 25/26th.
- Liberal-Radical Congress in Luxembourg next month.
- Mr. Westerterp , E.P. official , becomes a deputy in the Dutch Chamber.

### Luxembourg, 30th August 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1634 :

- p. 1 <u>American poultry dispute</u> : still no decision about a possible Council meeting. - <u>Schroeder</u> - Couve de Murville talks in Paris.
- pp 2/3 <u>Harmonisation of customs legislation</u>: contents of the Commission's programme of action.
- p. 3 <u>N. Lorraine Belgian Luxembourg</u> : talks between French and Belgian authorities to begin in September.
- p. 4 <u>UN/Trade and Development Conference (V)</u> : both East and West will have some difficulty in subscribing to everything proposed by the neutrals.
- p. 5 <u>Oil in the North Sea</u> : promising strike on the Dutch part of the continental shelf.
   <u>UK-Belgian nuclear cooperation</u> : joint project to exploit Vulcain reactor for marine propulsion.
  - <u>Trade with Eastern Europe</u>: Germany authorised to block indirect imports from Communist countries.
  - Greece : US aid for construction of a hydro-electric power station.
  - IMF : Algerian accession.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2994 :

pp 1/2 - Workers' housing : German and Belgian projects for the 5th H.A. building programme.

- p. 2 <u>Steel and the Kennedy negotiations</u> : the ECSC industry as a whole wants harmonised duties of around 10% established before the negotiations start.
  - Oil in the North Sea : promising strike on the Dutch part of the continental shelf.

## Luxembourg, 31st August 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1635 :

- p. 1 <u>Ministers of Finance</u> : next quarterly meeting to be held at the Château de Menars September 8th and 9th.
- pp 1/2 EEC-India : the Commission suggests its conduct exploratory talks in consultation with an ad hoc committee appointed by the Council.
- p. 2 Industrial statistics : an analysis of certain specific sectors.
- p. 3 <u>Council of Europe</u> : the comming session of the Consultative Assembly will be dominated by the G.A.T.T. negotiations and the European crisis.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2995 :

- p. 1 <u>Court of Justice</u> : SOREMA asks to be allowed to continue its cooperation with Oberrheinische Kohlenunion pending the result of its appeal.
- p. 2 Japanese steel exports : considerable rise. - Court of Justice : Thyssen sues the H.A. for damages.

\* The Week in Europe.

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1636 :

- p. 1 Porc cuts, preparations and preserves : the common agricultural policy comes into operation.
  - EEC-Greece relations : the "Six" will shortly take a decision on the Greek demand concerning the compensatory tax for the first loans of the E.I.B.
  - American poultry : a special Council session seems more and more hypothetical.
- p. 2/3 E.E.C. Japan trade relations : the Commission proposes to thrash out a common line on trade relations.
- p. 3 Polemics on the political orientation of C.N.E.N. : Prof. Ippolito removed from his functions as secretary general.
  - International union of the cotton federations and textile industries ; session in Athens on 14th-21st September.
  - Euratom : the Commission negotiates the research contracts on automatic translation and studies the effects of ionisating radiations on staff.
- p. 4 Convention concerning the European patent : "Unice" points out the conditions such a convention has to fulfill.
  - "Chicken war" : the Federation of the Belgian Industries considers that the American measures of reprisal should keep the sens of limit.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2996 :
- p. 1/2 The problem of subsidies for coal mines : the mines to close will first be subject to the budget of the company or owner group.
- p. 2 <u>Social disease in the Saar steel mines</u> : the Saar steel worker's union revoke their collective contract-
  - International competition on the steel market : the ECE Steel Committee will examine the tendency on long term.

\* See over : Chances for unity receeding.

Luxembourg, 3rd September 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1637 :

- p. 1 <u>The dossiers</u> which the Council has to reopen to catch up its leeway(in its activity) compared with that of the European Commission.
- p. 2 American poultry : Mr. Rey in conversation with the Permanent Representatives.
- p. 3 <u>Request for suspension of CET duty for crustaceans and molluscs</u> : the Council has to decide on the German and Italian requests.
  - German imports of geese from third countries and other member states : the Commission authorises the reduction in levies.
  - British agricultural policy : problems concerning cereals, meat and butter.
- p. 4 Third party risks in the nuclear context : l'ENEA wants to iron out incompatibilities between the international conventions new being ratified.
  - International sea fisheries conference : senior officials will hold a further meeting this week devoted notably to the study of agenda problems in this connection
  - Food aid for the emergent nations : an EEC study.
- p.5

- <u>M. Marijnen</u> in Brussels.

- \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2997 :
- p. 1 Greek anti-dumping duty on steel : it seems that the H.A. cannot much do.
  - <u>Co-ordination on energy policies</u> : the Parliamentary Commission (Leemans report) would be favourable to a common energy market open for oil, petroleum and gas.
- p. 2 <u>The Consultative Committee resumes its activities</u> : debates on energy policy and the steel market situation on the agenda for the next session.
  - German coal industry : wage negotiations to begin soon.
  - Obligatory stock-piling of energy products in Germany : the government hears the suggestions of the various economic sectors.
  - "Kenn Rhein-Ruhr" plant has closed its doors.
  - Energy Interexecutive assesses the work of the committees set up by the Council.
  - Coal market : prices determined by the imports from third countries.
  - India : M. Nehru ready to withdraw aid request fpr Bokaro steel works.

..... in the Joint Supplement :

- GATT tariff negotiations and strengthening the "atlantic partnershop" Struye report.
- Chacellor Adenauer makes his farewell visits.
- <u>Vatican and Europe</u> Pope Paul VI calls for a united Europe inspired by spiritual vitality.
  - \* See over : Unity of political aim.

Luxembourg, 4th September 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1638 :

- p. 1 <u>EEC-Algeria relations</u> : the Commission things the the European Development Fund should finance new investment projects in Algeria.
  - Euratom : the Commission's approval for fast reactor contract with CNEN.
  - "Eurosyndicat" stock exchange index : goes down slightly (149.33 against 150.50)
- p. 2 Food aid to the emergent nations : terms of supply of surpluses as overall aid for development.
- p. 3 Community programme for lead and zinc : chance of an interim solution .
- p. 4 O.E.C.D. : working group No 3 meeting in Washington.
  - "COMECON" : Yugoslavia admitted as observer.
  - Common transport policy : the Netherlands reaffirm their opposition.
  - Potato trade : Germany will institute a minimum price system for potatoes from other member states.
  - Dr. Martelli case : the Euratom Commission has not yet given any ruling.
  - American poultry : the German government ready to accept the Commission's proposal.
  - Ethyl alcohol : tariff quota in favour of Italy.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 2998 :
- p. 1/3 <u>Greek steel industry</u> (anti-dumping measures) : it is possible that the High Authority has been in touch with the Coordinating Committee. (COCOR)
- p. 2 <u>Comparative steel-making study</u> : a report made by the Steel Committee of the United Nations' Economic Commission for Europe.
- p. 3 Mandate of three members of the High Authority : the madates of Messrs Finet, Hellwig and Reynaud will expire September 14th.

p. 1 - Death of Robert Schuman.

- European cooperation : theme of the Socialist International's debate in Amsterdam. p. 1/2 - General policy of the Council of Europe : the Patijn report deplores the uncertain

- ty as to what its future political shape will be.
  - \* See over : Robert Schuman and Europe.

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Luxembourg, 5th September 1963

\* In to-da'ys COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1639 :

- p. 1 <u>Meeting of the Monetary Committee</u> : exchange of views in anticipation of the Finance Minister's meeting and the IMF Assembly.
  - <u>Annual IMF Assembly</u> : Messrs Marjolin and Formentini will lead the European Commission's delegations and the European Bank.
  - Improvement of the economic structures of the EEC : the Agricultural Committee of European Parliament advocates the setting up of a Special Fund for the financing for a comprehensive policy.
- p. 2 <u>European patent</u>: the Federation of German Industry in favour of third state nationals having access to the European patent.
  - FEDOM : the EEC Commission plans to let third state firms bid for contracts financed by the EDF in new Caledonia and the Comores.
- p. 3 <u>Harmonisation of the international textile market</u>: suggestions from M. Mario Ludwig Director of the international textile federation.
  - Levy on certain cattle foods : EEC Commission authorises France and Germany to increase to levy.
  - Enquiry into the "South-Luxembourg" (Belgian) : project of development of this region in a "European" view.
- p. 4 First cinematographic liberalisation measures in the EEC : widening of the quotas and definition cf the nationality of the films.
  - <u>Turkey</u> : E.P. Foreign Trade Committee protests against procedure adopted by the EEC Council in concluding the Turk agreement.
- p. 5 Interpenetration.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No 2999 :
- p. 1 ECSC Council of Ministers' various committees resume : next COCOR meeting Sept. 25.
- p. 1/2 <u>Application of competition rules to state enterprises</u> : M. Burgbacher completes his written question, addressed to the H.A. on 28.8.
- p. 1 American scrap : the Composite price remains at 27.17 dollars.
- p. 2 <u>Household consumer's coal supplies</u> : should next winter prove particularly severe, French apprehensions will be justified.

..... in the Joint Supplement :

- European Parliament : agenda of the September 16th session.
- Seminar on collective bargaining in the Six countries.
  - \* See over : Harmonisation : it must no become a fetish.

# Luxembourg, 6th September 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1640 :

- p. 1 Euratom : visit of a Swedish delegation to the Commission.
  - Salonica Fair : Mr. Marjolin open the EEC pavillon.
- pp 1/5 American poultry affair : certain countries would like to revise the poultry regulation.
- pp 2/3 Free movement of workers : Six's positions on basic issues.
- p. 3 Problems of the European Agricultural Guidance and Guarantee fund : the Commission suggests that the Community should interneve with interest rebates as well as direct grants.
  - Tariff quotas : publication in the European Communities' Official Gazette.
- p. 4 <u>Cut in the import levy on American poultry</u>: the Belgian Boerenbond is against any cut in the import levy.
  - <u>Common Agricultural Policy</u> : subjects to be worked out by the Special Committee next week.
- p. 5 EFTA Council : a routine session.
  - European school at Ispra : a convention with the Italian government.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3000 :

- p. 1 Rationalisaton association on the German collieries : talks between MM. Hellwig and Westrick on finance modalities forseen for the closure subsidies.
  - Export drawbacks : Germany plans an increase for different products.
- pp.1/2 Domestic coal supply :satisfactory situation in the whole.
- p. 2 <u>High Authority appointments</u> : the question may figure on the Council agenda at its September 24 to 25 session.
  - ECSC-UK relations : the H.A. prepares the Association Council session scheduled for September 24.
- p. 3 <u>Iron ore industrie</u> : the H.A. presents the Consultative Committee a study on the ECSC situation.
  - Energy policy : the Senior Officials Committee to resume work next week.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- European Parliament activities (1st May 1962 to 30 April 1963) : Biesheuvel report insists on the necessity of the European political union
- <u>Community policy and world trade development</u> : theme of the next Parliament-Council colloquy.
  - \* See over : The eff and the shell.

### Luxembourg, 7th September 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1641 :

- p. 1/2 Organisation of the petroleum market : state of work being done in the Community bodies
- p. 2 <u>Imports from the Netherlands of certain starches</u> : the Commission authorises Germany and Italy to raise a compensatory tax.
- p. 3 Tariff reduction for the transport of cereals in the F.R. of Germany : in the written question No 76 M. Vredeling (soc.Netherl.) asks the Commission the result of his enquiry.
  - <u>Social security of migrants workers</u> : written question No 77 by M. Vredeling to the Commission concerning the abuse in the application of the regulation.
  - <u>New Association Convention between the EEC and EAMA</u> : examination by the Italian Parliament.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No.3001 :
- p. 1 <u>Spanish customs duties on steel products</u> : High Authority may have bilateral talks with Madrid .
  - <u>Coal production in the ECSC countries in August</u> : decrease of 1 million tons against July.
- p. 2 Energy policy : Germany will submit the project of energy protocol to the Special Council of Ministers of 7th October.

\* The Week in Europe.

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- p. 1 <u>Trade relations with India and Japan</u>: for the moment procedures have to be examined.
   <u>Danemark and the Common Market</u>: Mr. Per Haekkerup will go to Brussels to discuss the apricultural problems.
  - <u>Meeting of the Six Finance Ministers</u> : the price increase has to been stoped even if one has to slow down the expansion.
- p. 2 London fisheries conference : still no agreement between the Six concerning the agenda of the Conference.
  - Execution of the Economic Development Programmes : theme of the meeting of the Directors of Economic Development Training Institutes organised by the OECD.
- p. 3 <u>Community information policy</u> :a Council debate on the information policy problems seems agreed for October or November.
  - "Free Trade" in the Community on products from Japan and the East of Europe : Commission decisions placing restrictions.
- p. 4 <u>Economic situation of France</u> : according to the OECD excerts,"the classic theraphy for inflation is not to be recommended".
- p.5/6 Organising the rice market : the price problems and certain technical difficultion are the main points of disagreement.
- p. 6 International socialist congress : under the chairmanship of M. Ollenhauer.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3002 :

- p. 1 <u>Price reductions for Thomas wire rod</u>: the Belgian steel company Clabecq reduces its list price to 75 dollars.
- p.1/2 Belgian coal board's rationalisation programme : no closure schemes for next few years.
- p. 2 Application of the competition rules and other current ECSC problems : meeting in Rome of the European Parliament's market committee on September 27.
   - Pimbino development zone : One Day Conference organised by the H.A.
- p. 3 Rhine coalfields : increase in price for lignite briquettes.
  - Chemical compay Bayer : to close its coal mine
  - Scrap price : increase possibility.
  - Steel production in the ECSC : decrease in August.
    - \* See over : The Italien nuclear controversy.

#### Luxembourg, 10th September 1963

\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1643 :

p. 1 - EEC Ministers of Finance : agreement on the need to halt the rise in prices and to define a common attitude before the IMF meeting.

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- pp 2/3 <u>Preliminary economic budgets for 1964</u> : the Cyclical Policy Committee's suggestions for dealing with inflation.
- pp 3/4 Organisation of the beef market : prices remain the crux of the problem.
- pp 4/5 Fruit and vegetable export aids : the French Government denies its transport subsidies are incompatible with the Treaty.
- p. 5 <u>EFTA Council meeting</u>: discussion on the future role of the Consultative Committee.
   <u>American poultry exports</u>: the Commission's proposals are gaining in favour. Rey-Tuthill interview this evening.
- p. 6 Interpenetration.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3003 :
- p. 1 <u>Steel imports from the Communist bloc</u> : considerable increase for the Benelux countries.
- pp 1/2 Energy officials' committee : attempt to define limited objectives for the future common policy.
- p. 3 <u>H.A. press statement controversy</u> : the ECSC Executive justifies its action in its reply to parliamentary question No 66.
  - Consumer fuel stocks : the problem of how to finance.
    - \* See over : International liquidity and Western cooperation.

Luxembourg, 11th September 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1644 :

- p. 1 EEC-Turkey association agreement : formal signature in Ankara tomorrow.
  - EEC-Algeria : the Six are still waiting to learn the Algerian Government's intentions.
- p.1/2 <u>Euratom</u>: towards a regular exchange of information between the Commission and member states concerning relations with third countries.
- p. 1 Eurosyndicat share index : practically stationary at 149.35.
- p. 2 American poultry exports : the results of the Rey-Tuthill talks.
  - EFTA Council : Mr Heath considers any formalisation of EEC-EFTA contact would be premature.
- p. 3 Economic effect of the energy factor : theme of a special study.
  - German film quota : still no agreement between the Six.
  - GNP and national income : Community statistics from 1958-1962.
  - Manufactured tobacco : opening of U.S.-EEC negotiations.
  - EDF projects : Mr Pedini deplores the absence of any real competition for tenders.
- p. 4 <u>Kennedy negotiations</u> : the EEC special committee resumes work defining the Community's position.
  - Fruit and vegetable market organisation : the Commission studies the ways and means of strengthening the present system.
  - Economic situation in France and Italy : the source of worry.
- p. 5 Organisation of the dairy market : the technical problems still to be solved.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3004 :

p. 1 - Special railway rates for steel products : a French request under study by the H.A.

- p. 1/2- Rolled products : satisfactory level of new orders during August.
- p. 2 Common energy policy : interesting Italian proposal to the Council energy committee.
- p. 3 Dismantlement of Krupp steel empire : Swiss opposition.
  - German miners' wage claims : resolution adopted at congress.
  - German coal mines : labour shortage.
  - Obligatory fuel stocks : German draft law compelling refineries to keep sufficient stocks to cover 60 days' needs.

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- <u>Consultative Assembly</u> : time-table for coming session. Big political debate for September 23-24.
- Community Information policy : proposed reorganisation.

\* See over : First objective : the balance of payments.

Luxembourg, 12th September 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1645 :

- p. 1 EEC-Turkey Association Agreement : the political significance of the signature.
- pp 2/3 <u>Right of establishment and free provision of services</u> : the state of the Community directives.
- p. 3 <u>EEC cereal crop</u> : wheat harvest 6 million tons down on 1962.
   European University : Italian bill for starting work at Florence.
- pp 4/5 Organisation of the sugar market : draft regulation defining the future system and the limits of the Community's responsibility.
- p. 5 EEC-African parliamentary cooperation : the terms of the Van Naters report to be discussed by the Parliament in Strasbourg next week.
  - Pork shortage : the Commission wants to avoid ruinous competition.
- p. 6 <u>EEC-EFTA relations</u> : the EFTA Council of Ministers advocates a coordination of the different positions of the member States in the Kennedy negotiations.
  - International Institute of Public Finance : 19th Congress opens in Luxembourg.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3005 :

p. 1 - <u>German coal rationalisation association</u>.: meeting between Mr. Westrick and the H.A. to-morrow.

- Steel industry : the H.A. will meet representatives of the employers on October 1st.

- pp 1/3 Orders for rolled products : little change for the Community as a whole by comparison with 1962 during the first eight months of 1963.
- p. 1 American scrap : the Composite-Price declines slightly to 26.83 dollars.
- p. 2 COCOR : agenda for the September 26th meeting.
- pp 2/3 Price checks by the H.A. : the H.A. appeals for increased assistance by the national administrations.

\* See over : Birth of the Eight.

### Luxembourg, 13th September 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1646 :

- p. 1 <u>EEC-Nigeria</u>: Lagos makes soundings with a view to opening commercial negotiations with the Community.
  - French "anti-inflation" plan : accelerated customs reductions on several products.
  - Switzerland and Morocco : new heads of mission,
- pp 2/3 <u>Rights of establishment and free provision of services</u> : the state of work on the draft directives still in the planning stage.
- p. 3 <u>Crude tobacco market</u>: the Commission reply to the French government emphasises the complexity of the problem.
- p. 4 <u>Agriculture</u>: the parliamentary Committee calls for the consultation of the E.P. before any new reduction in the poultry lock gate price.
  - European patent : the EEC may be able to take British views into account.
- p. 5 Interpenetration.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3006 :
- p. 1 German draft energy protocol : text submitted to the H.A. and other member governments.
  - Perequation of international river freights : the French government proposes the adoption of new coefficients.
  - German coal rationalisation : the Westrick-H.A. talks take place in a good atmosper
  - <u>Custom rolled steel</u> : agreement concluded between the Dunkirk factory and a British steel firm.
- p. 2 Control of price rules : the most typical infringements.
- p. 3 <u>Consultative Assembly</u>: the draft resolution on the High Authority activity report calls for a common energy policy for Europe as a whole.
- pp 2/3 <u>German coal</u>: Bonn would like to encourage the use of coal for the generation of electricity.

\* See over : A certain conception of national sovereignty.

### Luxembourg, September 14th, 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1647 :

- p. 1 Reform of UK grain import system : the Six are to discuss the British proposal to fix a minimum import price.
  - F.F.T.A. : Finland receives a year's grace in the abolition of customs duties.

pp.2/3 - Economic and Social Committee : programme of work for the next three months.

p. 3 - Rice, beef and dairy markets : Germany insists that the Community regulations must be drawn up with the Kennedy negotiations in mind.

\* In to-day's E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3007 :

p. 1 - H.A. aid to the Forges d'Hennebont : reply to question No. 56 by Mr. Laudrin.

pp.I/2 - Scrap : the lifting of the ban on exports has made little difference to the E.C.S.C. market.

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\* THE WEEK IN EUROPE.

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Luxembourg, September 16th, 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1648 :

- p. 1 <u>Common transport policy</u>: the national experts start examining the Commission's proposed regulations tomorrow.
  - EFTA parliamentary meeting : Danish Foreign Minister Federspiel emphasizes the new vitality of the Seven.
- p. 2 Agreements conference : all the main problems will be discussed.
  - Euratom : visit by the Mayor of Hamburg.
  - Anglo-Benelux Economic Committee : meeting in London on September 19th-20th.
- p. 3 <u>Coordination of monetary policy</u>: according to the EEC Federation of Banks, a common currency and a federal reserve system depend on political union.
- p. 4 Fiscal harmonisation : the main conclusions of the Shoup report to the International Institute of Public Finance.
  - <u>Water purification</u> : the Commission studies a possible harmonisation of national law.
  - Ghent Fair : to include an African Studies' Day.
- p. 5 <u>Labour problems</u> : international seminar of trade unionists to be organised in Vienna by OECD.
  - European Parliament : debate on the Convention with the associated African states
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3008 :
- pp 1/2 British steel production : up to an annual rate of more than 21.5 million tons of crude steel.
- p. 2 <u>Definition of "scrap</u>": the H.A. appeals for the cooperation of the governments.
   Canalisation of the Moselle : in service from 1964.
- p. 3 <u>Transport publicity</u> : the H.A. invites the governments to submit their plans for complying with Recommendation No 1/61.
  - Cockerill-Ougree" : inauguration of new rolling mill.
  - Marcinelle : increase in list-price for reinforcing rods.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- European political union : last throw by Chancellor Adenauer ?
- European Parliament : hommage to Robert Schuman.
  - \* See over : The principle of supranationality a mere abstraction?

Luxembourg, 17th September 1963

- \* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1649 :
- p. 1 <u>Kennedy negotiations</u> : the preparatory work begin again in Geneva compromise solution to tariff disparity problem may be found.
- pp 2/6 Joint session of the European Parliament and the Consultative Assembly : the European and atlantic problems.
- p. 3 Economic evolution in the EEC : no change in economic trands industrial pricedemand and production increase.
- pp 3/4 Price rises in Luxembourg : the gouvernment calls upon all sections of population.
- p. 4 <u>Harmonisation of pharmaceutical legislations</u> : progress reached in the last meetin of representatives of several interested organisation.
  - Dutch unions : demand for wage increase.
- p. 5 Portuguese economy : the OECD study insists upon the necessity of an increase in investment :.
  - <u>Conclusion of the European Parliament's session</u> : the Parlament wants all agreements or conventions to be submitted to it before they are signed.
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- p. 1 Joint Assembly in Strasbourg : M. Copé highlights the changes that have occurred in ECSC industries since the Common Market.
- pp 1/2 <u>German draft protocol on the coal industry's adjustment</u> : temporary admission of certain forms of subsidies.
- p. 3 State of progress in the execution of the recommendation No 1/61 of the H.A. (continued and concluded) : recommendations to Luxembourg-Netherlands-Italy.
  - British steel imports : ECSC supplies actually 2/5 of the imports of non-Commonwealth countries-
    - .... and in the Joint Supplement :
  - <u>Queen Juliana addressing the Dutch Estates General States</u> that the terms of the Paris and Rome Treaties must be fully implemented.
  - French left and the construction of Europe : forthcomung meeting of European socialist parties.
  - Economic bugets in France : on colleries aid; aid to the EDF.
  - <u>H.A. elections</u>: the Free Unions of Miners and Metallurgists ask that M. Paul Fine be re-elected or co-opted.
  - The Executive merger and Luxembourg :Werner-Schaus-Hirsch talks.
    - \* See over : Parliament and supranationality.

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- p. 1 EEC and Euratom draft budgets for 1964 : expenditure under heading of social and agricultural policy etc. as well as for administration,
- pp 1/2 Joint meeting in Strasbourg : theme the EEC cannot isolate itself from the rest of the world.
- p. 1 Eurosyndicat share index : down slightly to 148.24.
- p. 2 <u>American poultry exports</u> : hostile statement by Belgian agricultural association.
- pp 3/4 Turnover tax harmonisation : attitude of the German parliament and state of Community studies.
- p. 4 <u>Association with African states</u> : state of ratification procedures in the six EEC countries.
- p. 5 EFTA: the 3rd annual report submitted to the Consultative Assembly summarises the progress made by the Association.
- p. 6 <u>Situation of Commission officials</u>: Commission reply to parliamentary question No 55 by MM Vals et al.
  - German plan for nuclear ship : request for 5 million dollar grant.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No 3010 :

- pp 1/2 Energy policy : the Special Committee for the Coordination of Energy Policies of the Consultative Committee to discuss the Picard report.
- p. 2 <u>Pig iron sales by alignment</u> : appreciable drop as result of fall in posted ECSC prices.
- p. 3 European miners' statute : the H.A. brings up the subject again, taking account of the employers' objections.
  - <u>Consultative Assembly</u>: Mr Coppé very sceptical as to the chances of any rapid agreement on energy policy.

° See over : To make her presence felt, Europe must first exist. -

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p. 1 - Council session on agriculture : programme of work.

- pp 1/2 <u>Common transport policy</u> : provisional reactions of the member states to the proposed "fork" system of maximum and minimum rates.
- p. 2 EEC-Nigeria : memorandum to the Commission by the Lagos government.
  - Anglo-Benelux Economic Committee : first meeting in London.
  - Cattle fodder and wheat levies : two decisions authorising use of escape clause published in Gazette.
  - Euratom : resignation of M. Ettore Staderini.
- p. 3 EEC monetary and financial cooperation : first unofficial reactions to the Commission's proposals.
  - Textile industry : need for common policy in coming trade negotiations.
  - ENEA Conference : 7th session in Vienna on September 24th.
  - European Agricultural Confederation : 15th annual meeting in Cannes.
- p. 4 Consultative Assembly on the Six : the Ridley and Gustafson reports on the EEC and Euratom 6th Annual Reports.
  - <u>Consultative Committee and the Agreements Conference</u> : specific cases and general problems.
- P. 5 <u>Consultative Assembly on EFTA</u> : adoption of the Moeller report after speeches by Gunnar Lange and Peter Smithers.
  - <u>Jubilee</u> : Institut Supérieur des Science administratives et commerciales in Brussels.

• In to-day's E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3011 :

p, 1 - Iron ore : low level of production in August

- pp 1/2 Solid fuels : development of Community stocks.
- p. 1 American scrap : development of Community stocks.
- p. 2 Oven coke production : falling even more rapidly than that of big iron.
- Italian steel market : Community and foreign producers make new inroads.
- p. 3 World steel production :increased level of activity in some of the leading producer countries.
  - Dutch natural gas : to be exported to Germany by pipeline.
  - Accidents in coal mines : in inverse proportion to degree of mechanisation.
  - Chilian miners : latest addition to Ruhr working force.

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- UK European policy : London still hesitating about participating in the proposed multilateral force.
- Europe and Atlantic Partnership : Mansholt and Acheson at an Extraordinary Congress of the European Movement.
- Powers of the French Energy Secretary

• See over : Towards to burial of a common energy policy.

#### Luxembourg, 20th September 1963

° In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1652 :

- p. 1 Euratom : 4 million dollar participation by the Community in the proposed German nuclear ship.
  - EEC-Latin America contact group : the Brazilian Ambassador presents his letter of credence to President Hallstein.
- pp 1/2 American poultry exports :EEC offer of 11 pfennig per kilo reduction in the lock-gate price confirmed.
- p. 2 <u>Pork levies</u>: the Commission proposes to reduce on imports from third countries.
  - Agricultural prices : the Commission proposes to accelerate the common policy.
- p. 3 Situation on state aids : optimistic analysis by the Commission experts.
- p. 4 European Development Fund : new projects to be financed in AOS.
  - Lead and zinc : ministerial discussion in October.
  - German film quota : up to 70 French and Italian films to be admitted per year.
- p. 5 <u>Consultative Assembly</u>: the Ridley report on the 5th annual report of the ENEA, - Visit : new Dutch Secretary of State at the Foreign Office to Pres. Hallstein.
  - Hamburg and the EEC : the city's burgermaster explains their problems to the European Commission
- p. 6 Interpenetration.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3012 :

- p. 1 Präsident coal selling agency : commercial regulations submitted to the H.A.
- p. 2 New publication : "Technical progress and the firm in the ECSC industries".
- pp 2/3 Technical research : H.A. grants 2 million dollars' worth of aid to two
  projects.
- p. 3 <u>Apparent crude steel consumption</u>: the continuous increase since 1958 primarily due to economic expansion in France and Germany.
  - See over : Energy policy or sticking one's head in the sand,

• EUROPE/Documents No. 220 THE ASSOCIATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN TURKEY AND THE EEC : BACKGROUND NOTE, PROCEDURE AND CONTENT

## Luxembourg, 21st September 1963

• In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1653 :

- p. 1 EEC-USSR : the Council of Ministers could decide to grant certain tariff concessions.
- pp 1/2 EEC and EURATOM Councils : merger of the Executives and relations with the US, the USSR and Iran dominate the agenda.
- p. 2 GATT : The Trade Negotiations Committee ajourns till November.
- p. 3 <u>Consultative Assembly</u>: EEC-EFTA and Europe-third country relations provide the theme to the Vos report for Monday.
  - EEC anti-trust legislation : conference of the American Bar Association.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3013 :

- p. 1 <u>Renewal of the HA</u>: to be discussed by the representatives of the Six governments on Tuesday.
  - Energy policy : the Special Committee of the Consultative Committee examines the Picard report.
- p. 2 Energy policy : according to Mr Picard, the level of coal production to be conserved must be determined region by region.
  - <u>Court of Justice</u> : oral debates in a series of scrap perequation cases coming up.
  - CELNUCO (European organisation of fuel trades and users) : meeting at Wiesbaden on September 27th.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- International Christian Democrat Congress : to be preceded by a special meeting of parliamentarians from the Six and Latin America.
- <u>Community information policy</u>: the Councils of Ministers will have to take certain decisions on Monday.
- Council of Europe : towards the creation of Euresco.

• The Week in Europe

° In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1654 :

- p. 1 First interventions of the European Bank in Greece : the problems of compensatory taxes is not yet resolved.
  - French and German quotas for certain agricultural problems : the Commission taks liberation measures.
- pp 1/5 <u>Beginning of the Council session</u> : first decision adopted by the EEC Council and the Euratom Council.
- pp 2/3 Euratom : the Commission submits the first draft of its research budget for 1964 to the Council of Ministers.
- p. 3 EEC cartel law : study course at Wiesbaden.
  - <u>Collective agreements in EEC</u> : Seminar at Poigny la Forêt organised by the Paris University Business Management Institute.
  - Farm workers in the EEC : situation in the social security.
- p. 4 <u>New cereal policy in the United Kingdom</u>; could be the first step towards the adoption of the EEC-type policy.

- Rules of competition and right of establishment : the four positions of the Commission to the Council on which the ESC will pronounce.

- p. 5 Greek workers abroad : shortly repatriation.
  - <u>Revaluation of the Florin</u>?
     <u>Council of Agriculture</u> : beginning of a long session.

• In to-day's E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3014 :

- p. 1 <u>Belgian ex-quota billet imports from Soviet bloc</u> : special regulations to cover a given tonnage.
  - <u>Situation on the iron mines in the ECSC</u>: the Commission "work problems" to study the social repercussions on September 30.
- p. 2 Venezuela\_wants the opening of diplomatic relations with the ECSC.
  - German river navigation : demand of a non-discriminatory treatment concerning the public investments.
  - <u>Situation on the world coal market</u> : conclusions of the ECE Steel Committee (UNO).
- p. 3 <u>Briquettes</u>: production and consumption in the ECSC.
   M. Dino del <u>Bo</u> candidate to succeed M. Malvestiti.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- p.1 Meeting of the Socialist leaders in Marseille (19 and 20/10).
  - Consultative Assembly : M. Eugène Schaus looks forward to a relaxation of tension in the East-West relations - important political speech by Mr Heath

<sup>o</sup> See over : The United States and the Community (according M. Duverger).

• EUROPE/Documents No 211 : DEVELOPMENTS IN THE SOCIAL SITUATION IN THE COMMUNITY IN 1962

Luxembourg, 24th September 1963

° In to-day COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1655 :

- p. 1 <u>EEC Council</u>: moderate optimisme on a regulation of the "chicken war".
   Liberation of the film industry in the EEC : enlargement of the guotas.
- p. 2 EFTA: M. Frank Figgures asks the member countries to coordonate their action in view of the next GATT negotiations.
- p. 3 <u>Situation and forecast of the fertiliser market in the EEC</u>: the Commission publishes the results of a study of independent experts.
- p. 4 Payment of social security benefits to migrant workers in the EEC : the Commission answers a written question No 62, by Mr Troclet
  - Monetary cooperation between the Six and flexible european programmation : the European Parliament and the E.S.C. will give their opinion.
  - Association agreements in the EEC ! exchanges of views between the Ministers concerning the consultation of the European Parliament.
- p. 5 <u>Suspension of certain T.E.C. taxes</u> : for example fish and crustacea of Tunesia. - <u>Fisheries conference</u> : time table.
  - <u>Council agriculture</u>: modifications to apply to certain regulations : porc, eggs and poultry.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3015 :

- p. 1 Workers strøken by the closure of coal mines : readaptation aid by the H.A.
   Ruhr : "Gaitling" proposes a trade regulation identic with that of "Präsident",
- pp. 2/3- Consultative Committee : controversy between producers and users,
  - Court of Justice : respects to M. Schuman and Serrarens.
  - Association Council : exchange of views on the coal and steel situations.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- p. 1 <u>Consultative Assembly</u>: the relancing of the Council of Europe is announced declares M. Pflimlin
  - M. Del Bo successor to Mr Malvestiti as H.A. President.
- p. 2 The Council decided to study the Executives merger

° See over : For when the "Political Europe"

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## Luxembourg, 25th September 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1656 :

- pp 1/2 Chicken War : the US considers the EEC 's concessions inadequate hope for arbitration by GATT.
- p. 1 "Eurosyndicat" share index : 147.07 as against 148.24.
- p. 2 <u>EEC-USSR relations</u> : the Community feels the USSR ought to recognize the Common External Tariff - some concrete proposals to be submitted.
- p. 3 <u>Nuclear fuel</u> : contract signed between the US Atomic Energy Commission and the Euratom supply agency.
  - Euratom programmes : congress of business leaders opens in Amsterdam.
- p. 4 European Investment Bank : eight more projects financed in Southern Italy.
   Economic and Social Committee : end of session.
- p. 5 French aids to agriculture : the Commission gives its opinion in reply to parliamentary question No 54 from Mr Vredeling.
  - Parliamentary Committee of Agriculture : examination of the Dupont and Charpentier reports.
- p. 6 EEC Iran relations : contents and significance of the commercial agreement that has just been signed.
  - <u>Agricultural Council</u>: the problems merely studied any decision put off to the final "showdown".
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3016 :
- p. 1 High Authority : Mr Dino del Bo appointed President.
- pp 1/2 Council of Association (with UK) : M. Coppé underlines its role and its possibilities.
- p. 2 <u>Court of Justice</u> : hearings begin in case No 18/62 (scrap perequation frauds).
   <u>American Bar Association</u> : a delegation will be received by Mr Donner of the Court of Justice and Mr Coppé of the High Authority.
- p. 3 Essen Coal Fair : Mr Burckhardt calls for the conservation of a large national coal production capacity.

.... in the Joint Supplement :

- Merger of the Executives : texts of the decisions.
- Multilateral force : the UK will at least take part in the preliminary talks.

\* See over : A policy of clarity.

\* EUROFE/Brief Notes No 113 : BENELUX

## Luxembourg, 26th September 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1657 :

- p. 1 "Agricultural Guidance and Guarantee Fund" : the Commission adopted the final version of the propositions it has to make to the Council.
  - Colombia-Community : contacts in view.
  - Customs duties on petroleum products : new session.
- p. 2 <u>Economic and Social Committee</u> :returns opinion on four questions and claims the right to pronounce on all Community issues.
- pp 3/4 <u>Close of the "Agriculture" session</u>: modest results at least serve to prepare the big negotiations at the end of the year.
  - Tariff quotas : the Commission answers the written question N.58 by de la Malène.
- p. 5 OECD study on the Spanish economy : the experts insist on a danger in the increase of prices.
  - <u>EEC-Nigeria relations</u> : the Commission will start "exploratory talks" to know the type of agreements that this country wants to sign with the EEC.
  - European Social Fund : new nominations.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3017 :

- p. 1 Situation on the steel market : the fall recovery looks unpromising.
  - Ad hoc "scrap" Committee : the ban on exports to third countries to remain unlifted until June 30, 1964.
  - American scrap : the Composite Price unchanged to 26.83 Dollars.
- p. 2 Court of Justice : hearings in a new case on group scrap.
  - German coal : increase in list prices.
  - High Authority : to have diplomatic relations with Liberia and Venezuela.
- p. 3 <u>German coal industry</u> : productivity up costs down.
   <u>France to buy</u> German coke in preparation for winter.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- p. 1 <u>OECD scientific conference</u> : the Ministers will discuss the relationship between scientific developments and economic expansion.
- p. 2 I.M.F. and I.B.R.D. annual meetings : the OECD will be represented. - European energy problems : new statistical addendum to the Kershaw Report.
  - \* See over : The necessary choices. -

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1658 :

- p. 1 French fruit and vegetable export subsidies : Mr Vredeling asks the Commission what steps it is going to take.
  - French and Dutch agricultural exports to the UK : Mr Vredeling asks the Commission about the possibility of bilateral discussions.
- pp 1/2 <u>Technical obstacles to intra-Community trade</u> : the Commission examines its draft programme for their progressive abolition.
- pp 2/3 Kennedy Negotiations : the tariff negotiating plan should be ready by November 30th.
- p. 3 Chicken war; there is apparently opposition to arbitration by GATT.
  - Law 103 : Italian démarche to the European Commission.
  - Japanese mission vistis the European Commission.
- p. 4 Euratom foreign relations : the Commission wants to establish the principle of the priority of Community action over bilateral action.
  - Nuclear Business Leaders' Congress : statement by Mr von Geldern.
- p. 5 EEC-AOS Convention : Mr Schuijt asks for details on the Councils declaration of intentions.
  - <u>Situation of the Franc Zone</u> : written question No 82 and 83 by Mr Metzger to the Council and Commission.
  - Cereal prices in the Community :
  - European Patent : Switzerland asks to participate in the elaboration of a Convention.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3018 :
- p. 1 Steel imports from third countries : 1963 will show an estimated 39% increase on 62.
   Steel sales by alignment : latest developments.
- p. 2 ECSC scrap exports : no agreement on the conditions of the extension of the lifting of the export ban.
  - <u>Coal policy</u> : first exchange of views between governmental representatives on the draft protocol proposed by the Germans.
  - Trading regulations of the Ruhr coal selling organisations : protest by the big consumers.
  - Coal prices : series of posted price increases.
  - Ruhr miners' wages : the increase will be reflected in the prices.
  - Mr Coppé on the open character of the Community.

....and in the Joint Supplement :

- p. 1 <u>Common energy policy</u>: the Italian Government comes down clearly in favour of the principles contained in the 1962 Memorandum.
  - Debate on energy problems to be arranged for the October session of the Parliament.
- pp 1/2 Round Table on energy policy to be held between the Consultative Committee and the Economic and Social Committee.
- p. 2 <u>Mr Posthumus on energy policy</u>: the Parliament must take the initiative in demanding a decision.
  - Brasil : Mr Sergio de Lima e Silvia new ambassador to the ECSC and Euratom.
  - World Christian Democratic Congress : the Seitlinger Report denounces all anachro
    - nistic nationalisms.
      - \* See over : Some new ideas or following up the Deloncle and Baumel statement.
      - \* EUROPE/Documents No 221 : CONTENTS OF THE COMMERCIAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE COMMUNITY AND IRAN

## Luxembourg, 28th September 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM No. 1659

- p. 1 -- <u>EEC-Latin America</u>: joint study of the practical problems of commercial relations.
- pp.1/2 <u>Petroleum products</u> : diversification of supplies, imports from the Soviet bloc, stocks, French import régime, German subsidies.
- pp.2/3 Dairy products market organisation : the position of the different member states at the present stage of the negotiations.
- p. 3 Mol nuclear centre : a supplementary establishment for Southern Belgium?

\* In to-day's ECSC Bulletin No. 3019 :

- p. 1 High Authority : M. Dino del Bo appointed President.
  - Sales by alignment : appreciable fall in prices for ECSC and imported products.
- p. 2 <u>Council of Association</u>: the Chairman of the National Coal Board remains optimistic about the future of coal.
  - Ruhr coal trading regulations: CELNUCO associates itself with the protests of the German electricity producers.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- Strengthening of Parliament : a Luxembourg initiative.
- National distribution of staff in Community institutions : parliamentary question No. 80 to the three Executives.
- Parliamentary Political Committee : meeting in Berlin at the end of November.

\* The Week in Europe.

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- p. 1 EEC-Argentina : request for reduction in levy on frozen eggs.
  - Customs duties for petroleum products : French proposal discussed by experts.
- p. 2 European patent : the experts begin examining the observations of business and industry.
  - Nuclear Industrialists' Conference : how to enlarge the available market.
  - EEC-Greece : tariff cuts on Greek raisins.
- p. 3 <u>Aid to associated African states</u> : danger of hiatus between end of bilateral and beginning of multilateral production subsidies.
  - <u>Social problems of agricultural workers</u> : Mr Vredeling asks when the joint committee will start work.
- p. 4 <u>Integration of Community agents</u>: the Commission's reply to question 61 by Mr Faller
   <u>Import liberations</u>: details of Commission decisions concerning France and Germany published in the Gazette.
  - End of Christian Democratic Congress : Mr Théo Lefèvre on the need for closer cooperation between CD parties in the world.
- p. 5 Interpenetration.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3020 :
- p. 1 Consultative Committee : loaded agenda for coming October meeting.
  - <u>Steel investment declarations</u> : first ever negative results recorded for 2nd quarter 1963.
- p. 2 Council of Ministers : agenda for coming meeting.
  - Liège International Conference : rapid advance in coal extraction methods.
  - Working accidents : latest figure for the ECSC steel industry.
- p. 3 <u>Technical progress on the utilisation of solid fuels</u> : conclusions of the Coal sub-committee of the United Nations E.C.E..
  - "Homefire" : new smokeless fuel discovered by the National Coal Board.
  - Court of Justice : hearings in cases 2 10/63 postponed.
    - \* See over : The powers of Parliament with particular reference to the budget.
    - \* EUROPE/Brief Notes Noll5 : FRANCE
    - \* EUROPE/Documents No 218 : SOME PROBLEMS WHICH ARISE IN CONNEXION WITH THE FIXING OF THE COMMON EXTERNAL TARIFF FOR PETROLEUM PRODUCTS

#### Luxembourg, 1st October 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1661 :

- p. 1 Chicken War : the Commission will discuss whether to accept GATT arbitration tomorrow.
  - <u>Social policy on agriculture</u> : the various steps envisaged by the Commission in its Action Programme.
- pp 2/3 Agricultural and Guidance Fund : structure and objectives.
- p. 3 <u>Italian rice exports</u>: Mr Müller-Hermann asks the Commission whether the Italian monopoly's export policy is not in violation of the Treaty.
- p. 4 <u>Requests for loans to the European Investment Bank</u> : Commission reply to question No 59 by Mr de la Malène.
  - <u>North Lorraine-S.Luxembourg</u> : details on the working populations in both regions in the Commission reply to question No 57 by Mr Vredeling.
  - Next trading year for cereals : Commission reply to question No 63 by Mr Vredeling.
- p. 5 Yougoslave economic success : Belgrade congratulated by OECD on its non-dogmatic attitude.
  - <u>Euratom external relations</u> : the Commission defends its policy of concluding agreements with developping countries.
- p. 6 <u>I.M.F. annual assembly</u>: the IMF is still the most suitable instrument for increasing world liquidity, declares Mr Schweitzer.
  - New York State offices opened in Brussels by Mr Nelson A.Rockefeller.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3021 :

- pp 1/2 Steel forecasts : ECSC production for last quarter of 1963 could be 4.2% up on 1964
- p. 2 Steel prices : reductions in Belgians and Italian postponed prices.
- pp 2/3 <u>Court of Justice</u> : opening of series of cases concerning the liquidation of the perequation fund.
- p. 3 <u>Coal imports</u> : big increase by France and Italy.
   <u>State of the steel market</u> : the industry unanimous about the gravity of the problems.

.....and in the Joint Supplement :

- European Parliament : summary of the probable agenda for the October session.
- World Congress of Christian Democrats : general agreement on world problems.
  - \* See over : NATO, the Community and its internal contradictions. -

No. 779 Luxembourg, 2nd October 1963
 \* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1661 :
 p. 1 - EEC-Iran trading agreement : signature in Brussels on October 14th.

- German compensatory import taxes : experts' technical study.
  - M. Mueller-Armack retires.
  - "Eurosyndicat" share index : 145.98 (-0.9%).

p. 2 - <u>Euratom</u> : negotiations for 350 kg of plutonium.
 - International Monetary Fund : concrete proposals for reform put forward.

- p. 3 Farm wages : Commission reply to question No 53 by Mr Vredeling.
  - Flood aid to Ruanda : Commission reply to question No 65 by Mr Metzger.
- p. 4 Imports of cheap sewing machines : Commission reply to question No 64 by Mr Hahn.
  - Yougoslav carp : Germany given permission to exclude from Community treatment.
  - French tomato export aids : incompatible with the Treaty according to the Commission.
- p. 5 Liberation of public markets : first directive in preparation.
- pp 5/6 Social policy for agriculture : main elements of the Commission's action programme.
- p. 6 Eurocontrol : to be inaugurated in Brussels on October 7th.

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- p. 1 Steel prices : Italian and Belgian alterations.
  - Investment tendencies in the ECSC steel industry : the H.A. discusses how to reverse.
- p. 3 <u>CEINUCO</u>: the cost of maintaining extra coal production should not be born by the consumers.
  - <u>Problems of competition</u>: the Parliamentary Internal Market Committee to devote its meeting of November 12th to this problem.
  - Charbonnages de France : M. Jean-Claude Achille named Director General.
  - Ruhr coal selling organisations : Mr Müller-Armack appointed comptroller.
  - British Labour Party to nationalise to steel industry.

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- Liberal Group October meeting : discussion on European political integration.
- European integration and the Labour Mouvement : international congress in Paris October 4/6th.
- <u>EEC information policy</u> : the Executives may propose the creation of additional offices in non member countries.
- <u>Great-Britain and Europe</u> : London agrees to take part in the M.L.F. talks Labour rapprochement with German and Italian Socialists.

\* See over : State visit.

#### Luxembourg, 3rd October 1963

- \* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1663 :
- p. 1 <u>EEC-Denmark</u> : Foreign Minister Hackkerup meets Mr Rey in Brussels 8-10th October . - <u>Chicken War</u> : the US arbitration proposal worries the Commission.
- p. 2 <u>Common transport policy</u> : preliminary technical debates on the Commission's proposals.
- pp 3/4 Agricultural Guidance and Guarantee Fund : to finance what and how.
- pp 4/5 <u>New Association Convention</u> : the Commission's replies to questions Nos. 70,71,72 by Mr Pedini.
- p. 5 <u>Sardinia</u>: Conference on Sardinia and the Common Market to be held at Cagliari November 21-23.
- p. 6 Ratification of Agreement with Dutch E.Indies : question No 79 by Mr Nederhorst.
   Egg based products : increase in levy.
  - Community harvest : one of the best since the war.
  - Eurisotop : colloquium on sand flows.
  - EFTA Consultative Committee : agenda for Stockholm meeting on October 10th&11th.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3023 :

- p. 1 <u>Ruhr coal sales agencies</u> : no H.A. decision yet on the proposed trading regulations.
  - German coal rationalisation : H.A. decision probable on October 16th.
  - American scrap : composite price unchanged at 26.83 dollars.
- pp 2/3 ECSC industry investment : no new investment declaration in the iron mine sector since 1961.
- p. 3 UK steel production : dramatic recovery follows resumption of stock-taking - Coal forecast programme : demand and production on the up.
  - \* See over : Scientific research and economic growth.

#### Luxembourg, 4th October 1963

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\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1664 :

p. 1 - EEC-India : immediate application of measures planned.

- Transport Consultative Committee : Mr Stoltenhoff is appointed chairman.

- <u>Euratom Commission</u> : Mr Franco Cancellario appointed Director General for External Relations.
- p. 2 Free movement of workers : the 2nd set of proposed regulations will be examined by the Council in November or December.
- pp 2/3 Congress of nuclear business leaders : the construction of a small number of nuclear power stations is advocated.
- p. 3 <u>Transport policy</u> : Schaus-Corbellini meeting. - <u>Pre-Kennedy Round</u> : no meeting planned for the coming week.
- p. 4 Fruit and vegetable exports : the question of French and Italian state aids under examination by the Commission.
  - European Patent : Austria asks to participate.
  - Vocational training : Karlsruhe speech by Mr Levi-Sandri.
- p. 5 <u>EEC-Latin America</u> : the Christian Democrats of Latin America expect a much more cooperative attitude from the Community.
- p. 6 Interpenetration.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3024 :

- p. 1 Steel prices : new changes announced.
  - Scrap prices : tendancy towards stability within the ECSC.
- pp 1/2 Steel market depression : COCOR calls for immediate practical remedies.
- p. 2 <u>Demand for coal</u>: should go up by 3% during last quarter of 1963.
   H.A. steel industry meeting: October 9th in Strasbourg.
- p. 3 Domestic coal : supplies for the last quarter of 1963.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- Energy policy : dramatic Socialist decision.
- OECD Science Ministers : permanent committee set up.

\* See over : An alternative solution.

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\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1665 :

- p. 1 <u>EEC oil policy</u> : study of French monopoly and German production aids. - Dutch industry : favourable reaction to "flexible" European planning.
- p. 2 EEC aid to associated states : conditions of an eventual "untiling" of aid.
   Common agricultural policy : publication of executory regulations in Gazette.
   Community agricultural funds : Dutch fears.
- p. 3 Officials' statute : Commission's reply to question No 67 by Mr Vals.
  - Congo recovery programme : Commission's reply to question No 73 by Mr Pedini.
  - Common transport policy : industry insists on the temporary character of any Community quotas.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3025 :

- p. 1/2 <u>Community metal processing industries</u> : production over last quarter should be 5% up on last year.
- p. 2 Energy policy : the German draft protocol to be examined by the Council of Ministers

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- <u>Scientific cooperation</u> : OECD committee to arrange future international cooperation. - <u>Liberal Group of Parliament</u> : meeting in Paris.

\* The Week in Europe.

\* EUROPE/Documents No. 219 : THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION ON RISING PRICES AND MEANS TO COMBAT THEM

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\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM No. 1666 :

- p. 1 Kennedy-Round : the Community prepares its position for the continuance of negotiations.
  - Turnover tax : Belgium applies a reform.
  - Poultry dispute : interview between Mr. Rehm and the Commission.
- p. 2 State aid in Navel construction and Cinematography : the state of Community studies.
  - Fork-rate-fixing in transport : an Italian parliamentary initiative to obtain a modification of Community rules.
- p. 3 Agricultural policy : preparation of the October Minister's session.
  - Reimbursment of export custom duties : meeting in Rome (10th and 11th October).
- p. 4 E.E.C. Dependant African States : the decision envisaged in the Treaty of Rome could be taken in November.
- p. 5 German measures on cucombers, pickles and beans : reply by the Commission to question No. 69 posed by Mr. Van den Ploeg.
  - International Monetary Fund : analysis of decisions adopted.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3026 :

- p. 1 Sale of German domestic coke to France : reservations by the High Authority.
   p. 1/2 German Protocole Project : the H.A. gives a mandate to the COCOR.
- p. 3 Applicable competition rules in coal and steel : HA's reply to question by Mr. Burgbacher.
  - Rising coal prices : trade unions protest.

... and in a joint supplement :

- OECD Council of Europe : Parliamentary conference may be held next year.
- Energy policy : the Parliamentary Committee passess a resolution.

\* Weekly Appendix.

\* See over : Policies for agriculture and energy.

\* In to-day 's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM No. 1667 :

- p. 1 <u>Aid to civil aviation</u>: the Commission examines the situation in the different member countries.
  - Tariff quotas : decisions in favour of Germany and Holland.
  - EEC-Denmark relations : meeting of Mr. Haekkerup with the Commission.
- p. 2 Community procedure in the matter of credits : extension and reinforcement.
   Eurocontrol : establishment of Brussels office.
- p. 3 <u>Marine transport</u>: Mr. Minoletti points out the urgent need for a common policy - particularly in coastal traffic.
  - Scholarship Aid to African States : Mr. Rochereau to meet with Israeli authorities.
- p. 4 Added value taxes : Federation of British Industries against.
  - Cereal trade between France and the United Kingdom : Community study of a British proposal.
- p. 5 Euratom research budget : reservations of French experts.
  - <u>EEC Social report</u> : Parliamentary Commission resolution on Health and Safety protection.
  - Porcelain and stoneware makers : meeting in Brussels end of October.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3027 :

- p. 1 Lorraine iron mines : the Council grants financial aid.
  - Scrap : Brussels definitions.adopted.
  - ECSC iron industry problems : M. van der Rest believes that the H.A. could take measures to improve steel consumption prospects.
  - Customs import formalities : lightening of Netherlands formalities.
- p. 2 Energy policy: Labor union suggestions.
  - European miners' statute : failure of preparatory meeting trade union statement
  - Consultative Committee : Mr. Reynaud gives forecasts for 1964 a proposal by Mr. Sohl concerning energy.

... and in the Joint Supplement :

- European Parliament : timetable for the October session.
- Community Information policy : the experts are in favour of opening offices in Geneva and New York.
- International Federalists conference : October 12 and 13 in Luxembourg.

\* See over : What is involved in the revision of a treaty.

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/FURATOM Bulletin No. 1668 :

- p. 1 Kennedy round : Community position to be established at the Council of Ministers meeting first part of November.
  - A stand still on taxes and rebates : Commission's suggestions.
  - Eurosyndicat : 143.63 as against 145.98.
- p. 2 Emergency Interventions procedure on shortages: Ministerial deliberations in December.
  - Committee for Culture and Research : Mr. De Kinder named as reporter.
  - Levies and eggs : Commission's decision.
- p. 3 EEC-Denmark relations : Mr. Hackkerup fears a falling off in trade.
   European Social Fund activities : intervention resquests.
- p. 4 Kreyssig Report : a resolution has been adopted.
   Cereal imports : threat to the German market from imports.
- p. 5 Interpenetration.

\* In to-day's E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3028 :

- p. 1 Coal production : September figures up.
- Scrap perequation : public hearings before the Court of Justice.
- p.1/2/3- Energy policy : text of Consultative Committee resolution.
- p. 3 Steel market : chances for an increase in duties.
  - Presidency of the H.A. : the appointment of Mr. Dino del Bo is now effective.

... and in a joint supplement :

- Seat of European Parliament : debate in Political Committee.
- O.F.C.D. : appointment of Assistant Secretary General for Economic and Statistical Department.

\* See over : False alarm,

## Luxembourg, 10th October 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1669 :

- p. 1 <u>Kennedy Negotiations</u> : the Commission denies its responsability for an eventual delay in starting negotiations.
  - Financial work by the European Fund : for the first time countries are invited to compete for tenders.
- p. 2 Community programme on lead and zinc : negotiations still at an impasse
  - Medical programme for workers : A conference of experts at Tours .
  - Quarterly report on the economic cycle : it will take account of the price rises in France and Italy.
- p. 3 <u>Mixed Parliamentary Committee, EEC-Greece</u> : the European Parliament will approve the first recommendation on Tuesday.
  - European Agricultural Guidance and Guarantee Fund : the Vredeling report will serve as the basis for debate at Strasbourg.
- p. 4 Norms for weights and dimensions of road vehicles : de Gryse report discussion by the Parliament on October 15th.
- p. 5 Cultural conditions in the EEC states : recent estimates.
  - UN conference on cocca : disagreement on minimum prices to be established.
  - Conference of European Transport Ministers : Lisbon meeting over.
- p. 6 EEC-Tunisia : Tunisia plans to hold talks with the EEC Commission.
  - Technical and administrative obstacles to trade : Commission will adopt a working programme in December.
  - The Community and developing countries: Mr Hallstein's declaration to the German-Indian Society.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3029 :
- p. 1 <u>September steel production</u> : figures up in all member states except Germany and Luxembourg.
  - Steel prices : list modifications.
  - American scrap : the composite-price remains at 26.83 dollars.
- p. 2 Ruhr coal sales agencies : the HA to receive the producers' representatives on Tuesday.
  - Electric foundry : Italian investment project approved by the HA.
  - Coal : quarterly forecast looking up.
- p. 3 <u>Steel imports</u> : need for close cooperation between the HA and the member states.
   <u>Cheap steel imports</u> : the British steel industry would also like to see action.
  - \* See over : The Community and equilibrium in world exchange.

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1670 :

- p. 1 EEC Ministerial Session : problems in external relations added to the agenda along with budgetary problems.
- p. 2 Euratom research budget : the Council must consider in depth French reserves.
- p. 3 <u>Agricultural problems</u> : the Special Committee is preparing for the next ministers' meeting.
  - European Agriculture : the Presidium of the COPA is preparing a declaration.
  - <u>Council agenda for Monday</u> : Poultry dispute will be discussed, relations with USSR cancelled.
- p. 4 <u>Cyclical expansion in the Community</u> : the Commission reports that expansion continues.
  - EEC-Isreal report : Socialist stand in favour of agreement.
- p. 5 <u>Cereal transport in Germany</u> : answer to question No 76 of Mr Vredeling (Dutch Soc.)
   Social Security and migrant workers : answer to question No 77 of Mr Vredeling.
  - European law : coloquium be held at the Hague October 24 to 26.
  - Agricultural trade, Europe-USA : Coming symposium, Amsterdam November 11 to 15.
- p. 6 <u>Import taxes and rebates</u> : the Council of Ministers of the EEC to continue study on Tuesday.
  - GATT : Juridical and Institutional Committee to meet next week.
  - EEC-Israel reports : Mr Mansholt, Vice Pres. of the EEC to go to Israel.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3030 :

- p. 1/2 Rolled steel production : new orders in September discouraging.
- p. 2 UK-steel trade : export surplus going down.
  - Common energy policy : hopes getting smaller.
- p. 3 <u>Scrap perequation</u>: hearings in several cases before Court of Justice admissibility objections by HA.
  - Meuse coal field : Belgo-Dutch Treaty examined by Belgian cabinet.
  - Campine basin : opening of factory for processing of heavy coals.
  - Freight rates : on the up as result of Communist grain purchases.

\* See over : The rising generation.

\* EUROPE/Documents No 223 : THE LOANS GRANTED BY THE EUROPEAN INVESTMENT BANK

## Luxembourg, 12th October 1963

- \* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1671 :
- p. 1 EEC-Greece : the Commission studying how to improve relations.
  - <u>EEC-Turkey</u> : Mr Dehousse appointed rapporteur for the European Parliament on the Association Agreement.
  - Tariff quotas : German grapefruit quota enlarged.
  - Poultry dispute : declaration by Mr Tuthil, US Ambassador to the Communities.
- p. 2 <u>Turnover tax harmonisation</u>: the Deringer Report to Parliament suggests modifications to the Commission proposals.
- p. 3 <u>Aid to African states</u> : commitments assumed during October amount to nearly half a million dollars.
  - European Commission : new appointments.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3031 :

p. 1 - Scrap perequation : further hearings before the Court of Justice.

pp 1/2- World steel market : Mr Hellwig in favour of a Community solution.

p. 2 - Work safety : 2/5 of all aid to research goes to this sector.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- European integration : Italy will continue her campaign in favour of European political union, declares Sig. Piccioni.
- Community policy on science : question No 87 by Sig. De Bosio (It. Chr. Dem.)

\* The Week in Europe

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1672 :

- p. 1 EEC-Iran relations : signature at Brussels of a commercial agreement.
  - <u>Measures in favour of exports</u> : Talks between the Italian Government and the European Commission.
  - Opening of the Councils session : study of the Euratom research budget.
- p. 2 <u>Professional training</u> : the Commission will soon organise a conference on this subject.
  - <u>EEC-Tunisia relations</u> : the Tunisian Gouvernment proposes the opening of exploratory talks.
- p. 3 Rules of competition and state-owned industries : Commission answer to written question No 75 by Mr. Burgbacher (Chr. Dem. Germany).
  - Chicken war : clarification by the Head of the American Mission.
- p. 4 <u>Regional policy</u> : the EEC working parties will shortly transmit their first reports to the European Commission.
  - <u>Measurement of temparatures in nuclear piles</u> : Euratom is going to negotiate research contracts.
- p. 5 <u>Milk</u> and dairy products market : The Special Agricultural Committee reviews a certain number of technical problems.
  - Mr Schaus in Denmark : merger of the Executives.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3032 :

- p. 1 List prices in the steel industry : Cogoleto is proceeding with great price decreases.
  - <u>Investment in ESCS industries</u> : the H.A. has taken action on a series of investment projects.
  - Scrap perequation : the H.A. asks the Italian Government to execute judgement agains the FASEF company.
  - <u>Rhine navigation</u> : the "river freights" Committee is charged to work out replacement propositions.
- pp 2/3- <u>Steel price increases</u> : the German Government would sound the US Gouvernment on its reactions on eventual price increases.
- p. 3 Anthracite production : increase in production in the U.S.A.

..... in the Joint Supplement :

- Meeting of the Ministers of the seven WEU countries : the preparation of the ministerial meeting is as good as finished.
- International Congress of the European Federalist Action :vigourous resolution on European political integration.
- European Parliament : opening of the October session.
- Luxembourg : Socialist success in municipal elections.
  - \* See over : Europe and the labour unions.

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#### Luxembourg, 15th October 1963

• In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1673 :

- p. 1 Breach of article 12 of the Treaty : the EEC Commission takes Belgium and Luxembourg to court.
  - <u>EEC-India</u>: the Council of Ministers offers to suspend some twenty duties in the common external tariff.
  - Information offices in Geneva and New York : the Council takes a decision of principle in favour.
- pp 1/6 Other Council proceedings : Kennedy round, agriculture, import taxes.
- p. 2 Euratom research budget : adopted by the Council.
- p. 3 French inland waterway rate system : opproval of the European Commission.
   Aid to the film industry : Italy to have the law readopted by Parliament.
   Foreign workers' housings : Commission recommendation in preparation.
   Quinine monopoly : Italy agrees to liberalize.
- p. 4 <u>Goods traffic hold ups at Chiasso</u> : EEC Council reply to parliamentary question.
   <u>Prior consultations on transport matters</u> : to be extended to pipelines ?
   <u>European Parliament</u> : the Parliament will deliberate on the problems on road transport and notifications of agreements.
- p. 5 Fats market : divergence of views between the member States.
- p. 6 <u>EFTA Consultative Committee</u> : Stockholm meeting emphasizes need to increase role of Committee within the Association.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3033 :

- p. 1 President of the High Authority : Mr Del Bo will office next week.
  - <u>Measures to restore steel market</u> : the German steel producers and government urged the High Authority to act quickly.
  - <u>Goods traffic hold ups at Chiasso</u> : the High Authority will be associated with efforts to improve the situation.
- p. 2 Competitivity of Lorraine iron ore : progress of technical research.
  - Court of Justice : the Advocate General will present his conclusions in several cases on October 16th.
- p. 3 Euronorms : two more published by the H.A..
  - European Parliament : the 1962-1962 Year Book just out.
  - European Parliament informed of the nomination of M. Del Bo.
  - Canalisation of the Moselle : first voyage from Tier to Grevenmacher.
  - Blast furnaces : smaller coke input.

• See over : European prospects.

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Luxembourg, 16th October 1963

• In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1674 :

- pp. 1/2 <u>Agricultural policy</u>: two important Commission reports to be ready before the end of the month.
- p. 1 Eurosyndicat share index : 142.39 as against 142.63.
- p. 2 EEC and Euratom operating budgets : Council adopts provisional budgets.
- pp 3/4 European Parliament : debate on the European Commission's annual report.
- P. 5 <u>Rules of competition and state-owned firms</u> : parliamentary question No 88 by Mr Burgbacher (German CD).
- pp 5/6 EEC vs. Belgium and Luxembourg : the Commission publishes a communiqué.
- p. 6 <u>Buropean Parliament</u>: details on Tuesday's debate.
   Chicken dispute : favourable US reaction.to new EBC proposals.

• In the B.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3034 :

- pp 1/2 <u>Bnergy policy</u> : the Senior Officials' Committee is trying to establish the basis for a minimum agreement.
- p. 2 Fall in coal stocks : the figures are not so bad as all that, declares Mr Meyers
   Rationalisation of the coal industry : statement by the German miners.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- Political Union : the chairman of the Political Committee of the Parliament to visit the six capitals in turn.
- Conference of NATO Parliamentarians : ninth session from November 4th to 9th.
- Court of Justice : election of the Presidents of the Chamber.
- Regional problems : problem discussed by the Economic and Financial Committee of the Parliament.

• See over : European prospects (II).

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Luxembourg, 17th October 1963

° In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1675 :

- p. 1 <u>Situation in Italy and international liquidities</u> : meeting of the Monetary Committee next week.
  - Economic project for Paraguay : the EEC countries will collaborate in this project.
  - <u>Chicken dispute</u>: terms of appeal to the GATT agreed to between the EEC and the United States.
- p. 2 <u>State aid and distorsion of competition in agriculture</u> : German complainks. - <u>Euratom-U.S. Joint Programme</u> : the SENA nuclear power plant included in the programme.
  - <u>Community staff</u>: written question No 89 by Mme Tonietti (It.CD) and Mr Pedini (It. CD) to the EEC and Euratom Commissions.
- p. 3 Parliamentary debate on the Kreyssig report : different aspects of the Community policy have formed the object of the debate.
- p. 4 <u>European Guidance and Guarantee Fund</u>: the Parliament examines today the proposal of the EEC Commission.
  - <u>Creation of the network of farm accounts</u>: the Agricultural Commission of the European Parliament in favour of the Executive's poposals.
- p. 5 <u>Buropean Parliament</u> : immediate abolition of the fiscal frontiers in the Common Market.

° In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3035 :

- p. 1 <u>Ad hoc steel Committee</u> : the High Authoritydecides the directives to its representative.
- pp 1/2- <u>Rationalisation of German coal mines</u>: the High Authority will apply the procedure of Article 53 of the Treaty.
- p. 1 American scrap : composite-price remains at 26.83 dollars.
- p. 2 <u>Creation of Saar transport company</u> : no denounciation of contracts with the Lorraine mines.
  - <u>Steel factory in Gent (SIDMAR</u>): the investment costs will amount to about 17 billion Belgian francs.
  - Customs duties for steel : US hostile to an increase.
- p. 3 Coal prices : scale and effect of the recent modifications.

..... Joint Supplement :

pp 1/2- European Parliament : Mr Martino will officially visit the United States.

- Measures of road vehicles : Parliament adopted a resolution.
- European energy policy : firm statements by the Executives.

• See over : European prospects III.

Luxembourg, 18th October 1963

• In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1676 :

- p. 1 Italian export rebates : Hallstein-Colombo interview.
  - Cyclical policy in France and Italy : the Commission will make its opinion public.
  - "Chicken War" : The GATT Council will meet on October 29th.
- p. 2 <u>1964 Parliament budget</u>: Parliamentary protest against the cuts by the Council.
   <u>National legislation on chocolate and cocoa</u>: the Internal Market Committee is competent to give an opinion.
  - <u>Statute of officials</u> : favourable Parliamentary opinion on the proposed changes. - <u>A Buropean Highway Policy</u> : a Liberal Group proposal.
- p. 3 European Parliament : two resolutions adopted on the Agricultural Fund.
  - <u>Award of EDF contracts</u> : a Commission clarification about participation by third countries.
    - French inland waterway transport : favourable EEC opinion on the proposed forkrate system.
- p. 4 <u>Free Trade Unions</u>: the agenda for the general Assembly was drawn up by the Executive Committee.
  - EEC-US tariff disparities : the study of the problems involved is entering its final phase.
- p. 5 Two new heads of Government : Mr Erhard and Lord Home.
  - <u>Common transport policy</u> : an overall view will be possible by the end of the month.
  - The banks in the European framework ; the four essentials according to Mr Abs.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3036 :

- p. 1 <u>H.A. President</u> : Mr Del Bo will take up office on October 23rd.
   Minimum prices for steel products : numerous difficulties.
- p. 2 <u>Scrap perequation</u>: Clabecq alleges it was charged too much by the H.A.. - <u>Iron ore imports</u>: the dangers of relying on giant cargo boats.

..... and in today's Joint Supplement :

p. 1 - <u>BEC-India</u> : a delegation of the European Parliament to visit New Delhi.

pp 1/2- <u>European Parliament</u> : resolution on energy policy adopted unanimously.

• EUROPE/Documents No 214 : EUROPEAN SYNCHRONISED WORKING PROGRAMME FOR 1963.

• See over : European prospects (IV)

Luxembourg, 19th October 1963

• In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1677 :

- p. 1 <u>Common Agricultural Policy</u> : special December session of the European Parliament

   <u>EEC-India</u> : India will probably ask for extention of tariff concessions to
   textiles and skins.
- pp 1/2 <u>EEC Council</u> : next week's meeting will be devoted solely to agriculture.
- p. 2 <u>Social Affairs</u> : the state of application of article 118 of the Treaty will be examined next week.
- p. 3 <u>Setting up a European Patent</u> : the experts will be instructed to draw up a final draft text.
  - British Nylon Spinners in Germany : new policy by the British Treasury ?
  - African Association Convention : ratified by Gabon.
  - Halden reactor : new research project.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3037 :

- p. 1 Steel tariffs : the High Authority is to contact Greece and Spain.
- pp 1/2 Ad hoc steel market Committee : to resume work on October 24th.
- p. 2 <u>Belgian coal problem</u> : the Belgian rationalisation programme will shortly be communicated to the High Authority.
  - Strike in the Limbourg coal mines.
  - <u>Court of Justice</u> : the Advocate General argues that the appeals against the demands for perequation payments are inadmissible.

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• In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1678 :

- p. 1 <u>EEC-Tunisia</u>: the Permanent Representatives will decide whether to open exploratory conversations.
  - Aid to Turkey : the European Investment Bank has been mandated by the Council.
  - European University : the contributions of the Six to the Florence project.
- p. 2 <u>European Development Fund</u> ; recent activity.
   Poultry imports from third countries ; reduction in levy.
- p. 3 <u>EEC-Greece</u>: the Committee of Association discusses the problem of agricultural organisation.
  - Agricultural prices : Mansholt report to the Commission.
  - EEC-Nigeria : exploratory talks will start towards the end of November.
  - European Parliament : an official delegation visits the West Indies.
  - European schools : the sixth is opened at Bergen in Holland.
- p. 4 Europe and the world : Hallstein speech in Berlin.
  - W.E.U. meeting in The Hague : Mr Butler will lead the British delegation.
  - Animal food stuffs and production : developments in 1962.
- p. 5 Interpenetration.

• And in the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3038 :

- p. 1 Coke stocks : sharp reduction.
  - Coal stocks at the mines : continuing fall.
- pp 2/3- <u>Aciéries du Temple vs. H.A.</u> : the Advocate General rejects the suit for damages against the High Authority.
- p. 3 British steel exports to the Community : slight decline in August.

- Pig iron : emergency measures called for by the producers.

- New British Government : Mr Errol becomes Minister of Power.

See over : <u>The fruitful debate in the European Parliament</u>.
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# Luxembourg, 22nd October 1963

• In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1679 :

- p. 1 EEC-Isreal : the Commission will adopt the report to submit to the Council.
- pp.1/6- <u>Council of ministers of Agriculture</u> : agreement on the necessity to continue the elaboration of new regulations.
- pp.2/3- Brasseur plan: could become a reality between the Six and Great Britain.
- p. 3 <u>EEC Council of agriculture</u> : assent of three regulations concerning products derived from cereals
  - <u>Construction of ESSOR reactor (Italy</u>) : the Euratom Commission envisages to launch appeal for tenders.

pp.4/5- Oil policy problems in the EEC : Mr Marjolin's opinion.

- p. 5 <u>External tariff duties</u> : Germany and Italy request modification or temporary suspension.
  - <u>Customs tariff of the Communities</u>: the European Commission just published a new edition of the Community customs tariff, recasted and brought up to date.
- p. 6 <u>Negotiations on the "Kennedy Round"</u>: on December 2nd the hearings will begin. - <u>Official visits of Mr. Erhard</u>: the new Chancellor will visit Paris and Washington.
  - ° In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3039 :
- p. 1 Energy common market : the senior officials agree to achieve such a market.

pp.1/2- Steel market : measures envisaged to improve the situation.

- p. 2 <u>Iron production in September</u>: 6.732 million tons against 5.437 million tons in August.
- pp.2/3- <u>Pig iron imports</u> : the pig iron producers ask for a special duty to be established.
- p. 3 <u>New Head of Swiss Mission</u> : M. Paul Wurth, ambassador will present his letters of credence.
  - Dutch coal industrie : Mr Wirtz underlines the need of an aid.
  - German miners trade union : no special shifts.

See over : <u>Towards the unity of federalists</u>? -

\* EUROPE/Documents No 225 : THE NUCLEAR STRATEGY OF THE ATLANTIC COMMUN-ITY AND THE PROBLEM RAISED BY AN EVENTUAL EUROPEAN NUCLEAR FORCE (a speech by Mr. Robert Schaetzel)

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° In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1680 :

- p. 1 <u>Cyclical situation in the EEC</u>: France and Italy should take steps to stop the rise in prices.
  - Eurosyndicat share index : 143.39 as against 142.39
- p. 2 "European Patent" : two reports in preparation.
  - Italy state aids : two projects approved by the Commission.
  - Agriculture Depart staff : parliamentary question no.90 by Mr Briot to the European Commission.
- pp3/4 Council "Agricultural" session : organisation of the fats market. - Council "Agricultural" session : discussion of beef and dairy produce regulations
- p. 5 Problems of under-development : Mr Rochereau at the UN headquarters.
  - Social security of migrant workers : two annexes to the Community regulations.
    - Vocational training in the firm : study published by the European Commission.
    - Mr Werner visits Great Britain.
    - <u>Mr. Levi-Sandri and the Representatives of the member States</u> study different social problems.

° In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3040 :

- p. 1 <u>New President of the High Authority</u>: Mr del Bo has taken up office and made a declaration.
  - Energy studies : participation of the national economic institutes.
  - Mr. Werner visits Great Britain,
- p. 2 <u>Global Community trade</u>: decline in relative importance of ECSC products.
   Steel imports: the Parliamentary External Trade Committee studies the problem.
- p. 3 Scrap perequation : hearings begin in a series of cases
  - Anti-Dumping measures : Greek steel industry demand.
  - Steel production : avance of rolled products.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- President Kennedy Gaetano Martino talks in Washington.
- Community cultural activity : parliamentary question No 91 by Mr Pedini.

° See over : The MLF and a European nuclear force.

# Luxembourg, 24th October 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1681 :

- p. 1 Commercial agreement between the EEC and Iran : will come into force on December 1st.
  - <u>E.E.C.</u> <u>Austria</u> : the Commission will present its report to the Council of Ministers next month.
  - Chicken dispute : the GATT "Panel" should give its opinion on November 18th.
  - French aids on fruit and vegetable exports : EEC Commission plans.
- p. 2 <u>Professional training in the companies</u> : the European Commission suggests the creation of three committees.
  - Developping countries : GATT studies the possibility of facilitating exports.
- p. 3 <u>Common Transport Policy</u>: Council of Ministers' decision put off until next summer.
   Foreign Trade Committee : meeting in Brussels on October 28th.
  - Tariff quotas in favour of Germany : increase for collophanes.
  - <u>New Head of Mission to Euratom</u> : M. Würth, Swiss ambassador has just presented his letters of credence.
- p. 4 Natural uranium supplies : report of the Consultative Committee of the Supply Agency.
- p. 5 EEC Council of ministers : next agricultural session will be held on November 12th and 15th.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3041 :

- p. 1 <u>Readaptation aids to workers</u> : H.A. aids to a German coal mine and a French iron ore mine.
- pp.1/2 Community iron ore mines : technical researche for the adaptation of a claimer.
- p. 1 American sorap : composite-price stays at 26.83 dollars.
- p. 2 Developping countries : a symposium on coal and steel problems.
- pp.2/3 Ad hoc Committee "coal and steel" : study of the emergency measures to take.
- p. 3 <u>Court of Justice</u> : hearings in a case concerning forfeits for delay in the paying level.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- <u>Head quarters of the European Parliament</u> : the Commission will study the Schuijt report.
- <u>W.E.U. ministerial session</u> : tomorrow at The Hague opens with study of political problems.
- Officials' salaries : the Executives ask for a 8 % increase.
- Natural gas reserves : the Netherlands possess a 1,100 billion m<sup>3</sup> reserve.
- <u>M. Martino visits the United States</u> : the President of the European Parliament met Mr Christian Herter.
  - \* See over : <u>Mr Dino del Bo of the High Authority the Treaties and the</u> <u>Community method</u>.
  - \* EUROPE/Documents No 212 : EUROPE AND LATIN AMERICA : SPEECH OF MR VILLA MICHEL, THE MEXICAN AMBASSADOR, ON BEHALF OF THE COUNTRIES OF LATIN AMERICA, AT THE FIRST MULTILATERAL MEETING -

Luxembourg, 25th Oxtober 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1682 :

- p. 1 Community custom duties on sugar : Italy asks for a suspension until Aug. 31st 64.
  - <u>EEC Association Agreement</u>: procedure for the consultation of the Parliament.
     <u>Tested type power reactors</u>: Euratom organises a symposium on technico-economic aspects.

- E.I.B. loans to Greece : Six agreement for interest rebates in favour of Greece.

- pp 2/3 Increase in prices in Italy and France : measures likely to stop this increase.
- p. 3 <u>Salaries and social security for migrant workers</u>: written question No 92 by Mrs. Tonietti and Messrs Pedini and Sabatini to the Executives of the ECSC and the EEC.
   - Written question No 95 by Mr Nederhorst to the EEC Commission.
- p. 4 <u>Harmonisation of cereal prices</u> : the Commission continues the elaboration of its proposals.
  - Social fund and the EEC member States : new ways of getting financial contributions.
  - Cocoa, coffee and banana market : the Commission just published a study by INRA.
- p. 5 <u>International Fisheries Conference</u>: the Six defined roughly their answer to G.B.
   <u>Euratom</u>: the Commission will only give its opinion on the uranium supply in the Community when the study of the cost of the two formulae is finished.
  - Crustacea and fish : the Council decided on a provisional suspension of CET duties.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3042 :

- p. 1 Italian iron and steel industry : modifications in list prices.
- pp 1/2 G.A.T.T. : recommendation of the American iron and steel industry for the Kennedy Negotiations.
- p. 2 <u>Revision of the Treaty of Paris</u>: written question No 96 by Mr Nederhorst to H.A..
   <u>Social security of migrant workers</u>: written question No 92 by Mrs. Gennai-Tonietti and Messrs. Pedini and Sabaniti to the ECSC and EEC Executives.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

p.1/2 - W.E.U. Council of Ministers : the political problems have been discussed.

\* See over : "Comecon" and the Community. -

\* EUROPE/Brief Notes No. 116 : ITALY

## Luxembourg, 26th October 1963

\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1684 :

- p. 1 <u>Monetary and financial cooperation between the Six</u>: the preparation of the deliberations of the EEC Council.
  - <u>Bconomic and Social Committee</u>: will give its opinion next week on the agricultural and economic policy problems.
- pp 1/2 <u>Community turnover tax</u>: The heads of fiscal department of the Six will give their opinion on the modalities.
- p. 2 <u>Regulation of certain competition problems</u>: the EEC Commission intends to present some proposals.
  - <u>Customs cooperation EEC-Greece</u> : the Cooperation Committee will hold its first meeting tomorrow.
- p. 3 <u>Adaptation of the Mannheim act</u>: written question No 93 by Mr Mueller-Hermann to the EEC Commission.
  - <u>Kreyssig Report</u> : written question No 94 by Mr Nederhorst to the EEC Commission.
  - <u>Elaboration of the dairy produce regulation</u>: questions of principle to be solved.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3043 :

- p. 1 <u>Cooperation between the ECSC and the Latin American states</u>: written question No. 98 by Mr Pedini to the High Authority.
- pp 1/2 Steel world market : evolution perspectives of the steel production excess.
- p. 2 <u>Mine catastrophe of Langerte</u>: the High Authority just sended experts to the spot.

.... in the Joint Supplement :

<u>Mr Martino visits the United States</u> : the President of the European Parliament tomorrow returns to Europe

WEU Council of Ministers : debate concerned to the economic relations with U.K. and the Common Market.

• The Week in Europe.

Luxembourg, October 28th, 1963

• In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1684 :

- p. 1 <u>Kennedy negotiations</u> : coordination of British and EEC positions meeting tomorrow at Brussels.
  - Fixing of a single cereal price : the Commission finishes its proposal.
  - Cabinet of Mr Marjolin, Vice-President of the EEC Commission : Mr. Flory is appointed Head of the Cabinet.
- pp 2/3 Plenary session of the Economic and Social Committee : conclusions of the experts and of the special sections.
- p. 3 <u>Common Transport Policy</u> : worries with regard to Commission tendencies.
- p. 4 "Beef" Regulation : the Ministers of Agriculture of the Six clarified a few points of the draft.
  - <u>Trade balance of Niger</u> : written question No 97 by Mr Pedini to the EEC Commission.
  - <u>Customs duties for certain petroleum products</u> : restarting of the Community work on November 12th.
- p. 5 Interpenetration.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3044

- p. 1 Steel market : the situation is marked by the weakness of the prices.
- pp 1/2 Germany steel industry : prohibition measures for holidays.
- pp 2/3 <u>World steel production</u>: rapid progress in Japan and in the countries with a developping steel production.
- p. 3 <u>Increase in steel customs duties</u>: only one delegation of the ad hoc Committee pronounced clearly in favour of an increase.

... and in the Joint Supplement :

- W.E.U. Council of Ministers : final communiqué of the conference.
- Mr. Martino's visit to the United States : declaration of the President of the European Parliament when he returned to Europe.

• See over : The European "concert".

• Weekly annex No. 4

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° In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1685 :

- p. 1 <u>EEC-Latin America</u>: three more meetings foreseen before the end of the year.
   EEC Monetary Committee : problem of international liquidity.
  - <u>Natural uranium supply situation</u>: the Euratom Commission studies the possibility of a Common Policy of the "Six".

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- pp 2/3- Imports of rough petroleum and petroleum products into the Community: study of the experts' report.
- p. 3. Aid to the aviation industry in the Community : tomorrow first meeting.
- b. 4 Social security of migrant workers : contacts between workers, employers and the "Administrative Council".
  - <u>Signature of the Association Agreements</u> : the Netherlands ask that the European Parliament should first be consulted.
  - <u>Circulation of technical information</u>: the Euratom Commission takes adequate measures.
- p. 5 <u>EEC-Land of Schleswig Holstein</u>: members of the Government visit the EEC Commission and Euratom.
  - Social Fund payments to member States : Gazette gives details.
  - Economic & Social Committee plenary session: M. Marjolin defines the role of the E.S.C. in European programming.
  - Danish exports to the EEC : studies on certain specific problems.
- p. 6 Interpenetration.
  - ° In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3045 :
- p. 1 President del Bo to swear oath before the Court of Justice on November 5th.
- p 1/2- Increase in German compensatory import tax : Bonn's position.
- p. 2 <u>Steel market situation</u>: the discussion of whether to increase duties will resume on November 7th.
  - French coal centre visited by the Parliamentary Committee for Research.
  - Cobechar and the Belgian Government : the High Authority changes its position.
- p. 3 <u>Clabecq vs. High Authority</u>: the Advocate General concludes in favour of the plaintiff.

° See over : A change of tune. -

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+ In tb-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1686 :

- p. 1 Poultry dispute : Nomination of members of the GATT mediating "pannel".
- pp 1/2 Pre-Kennedy negotiations : the tariff cutting plan may not be ready by Nov. 30.

p. 1 - Eurosyndicat share index : 143.31 as against 143.39.

- pp 2/3 Subsidies to the French linen industry : Parliamentary question No 99 by de Gryse and Dupont.
- p. 3 <u>Fruit and vegetable export aids</u> : France called on to abolish by November 8th. - <u>Social policy</u> : publication of the study by Prof. Dehove of Lille.
- pp 4/5 Community petroleum industry (II) : increase in refining capacity.
- p. 6 <u>BEC external relation</u>s: problems reviewed by the Parliamentary Committee for External Trade.
  - <u>Parliamentary Committee for Agriculture</u> ! depate on social policy and the fats market organisation.

+ In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3046 :

- p. 1 <u>Bnergy policy</u>: The Senior Officials Committee begins studying the "petroleum" section of its report.
  - Qustoms duties on steel products : "ceiling" duties as bound under GATT.
- p. 2 <u>Simplification of customs formalities</u> : the ad hoc working party will meet on November 14th.
  - General Objectives for Steel : resumption of work.
  - Possible steel import quotas : American protests.
- p. 3 <u>Recruitment of H.A. Officials</u> : the geographical basis is as wide as possible.
  - Lengede mining disaster. H.A. gift of 50,000 DM to the families of the victims.
  - Belgian labour shortage : 10,000 Turkish miners will be employed by the end of 1964.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- Italian Socialist Party : European problems and the Nenni programme.
- Christian Trade Unions : debate on the merger of the Executives.
- <u>Seat of the European Communities</u> : a large majority of H.A. Officials would prefer to stay in Luxembourg.
- Belgian bank rate goes up to 4.25 %.

+ See over : Towards an "agonising reappraisal"?

+ EUROPE/Documents No 215 : THE COMMUNITY MEDIUM TERM ECONOMIC POLICY

#### Luxembourg, 31st October 1963

• In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1687 :

p. 1 - Pre-Kennedy negotiations : the tariff negotiating plab sub-committee could meet in November 18th - 22nd.

- Council of Ministers : next wee's meeting will be concerned with relations with various associated and third countries.

p. 2 - Agricultural trade and the Kennedy Round ; the Commission's suggestions.

- Collective contracts : the situation in the six countries of the EEC. p. 3

- Duty on beef : request for suspension by Italy.
- Monetary and financial cooperation : debate between the Six on November 19th. - Franco-British Economic Committee : meeting in London.
- 4 Common agricultural policy : regulations, directives and other steps. P.
  - Aids to aviation industry : Commission opinion very shortly.
  - Harmonisation of cereal prices : finishing touches to text for November 4th. - "Agricultural" session of Council : heavy agenda for next meeting.
- p. 5 Sconomic and Social Committee : opinions given on various questions.

- Fiscal problems ; meeting of Permanent ad hoc Committee.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3047 :

- p. 1 Rationalisation of the German coal industry ; the Council and the Consultative Committee will be consulted.
  - Steel industry : two concentrations authorised by the High Authority.
  - Russian pig iron : the High Authority asks Italy not to increase its import quota.
  - American scrap ; the composite-price falls to 26.50 dollars.
- pp 2/3- Steel market crisis : five alternative internal measures are under study by the High Authority.
- p. 3 German steel industry : the H.A. is vlamed for present troubles in the industry.
  - Coal industry : warning on latent crisis.
  - Industrial reconversion : representatives of various French regional development committees visit the H.A.
  - Soviet coal industry : concentration of production.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- Powers of European Parliament : the 3 key problems pointed out by Mr Martino.
- USA-Europe : the Vice-President will be visiting Benelux November 4th to 9th.
- OECD Council : the Economic Policy Committee preprares for the ministerial meeting.
- Parliament HQ : the Political Committee puts off a decision till next time.

• See over : The lire and the Centre-left Government. -

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° In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1688 :

- p. 1 <u>Kennedy negotiations agricultural products</u> : Commission communications to the Council, but no deliberations.
- pp 1/4 Council of Ministers : customs and competition matters.
- p. 2 FED appeals for tenders : the Commission upholds its decision to unite aid.
  - FED projects : notice of appeals for tenders in Gazette.
- p. 3 <u>Regional policy</u> : successful talks between Schleswig-Holstein Land Government and the Community institutions
  - State aids : two new projects passed by the European Commission.
  - <u>Processed agricultural products</u> : new decision by the European Commission concerning free entry.
- pp 3/4 Single cereals market : the Commission's proposal.
- p. 5 Interpenetration.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3048 :

- p. 1 Steel market : the Six decline any prior consultation with OECD.
- pp 1/2 Common energy policy : draft decision proposed by the Senior Officials Committee.
- pp 2/3 Pig iron : pattern of imports over the last decade.
- p. 3 Steel prices : reductions by Italian industry.
  - ECSC-US : Lyndon B Johnson received by the High Authority.
  - Anti-dumping measures : H.A. contacts with Greece and Spain.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- Lyndon Johnson in Luxembourg : the US Vice-President begins his tour of the Benelux capitals.
- <u>NATO Parliamentarians' conference</u> : opening session this morning under Lord Crathorne.
- Greece : Union of the Centre victory at the elections.

° Weekly Appendix No. 5

• See over : Dreams of hegemony - true of false ?

#### Luxembourg, 5th November 1963

\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1689 :

- pp. 1-4 Common cereal price : the Commission's proposals analysed.
- pp 1/7 Kennedy Round preparations : the EEC fixes a time table for defining the Community position.
- p. 4 ESC : Chairman Roche visits The Hague.
  - Italy-USSR trade : new agreement concluded.
  - Official Gazette : publication of directive on the film industry and ECSC opinions
- p. 5 <u>OECD Ministerial Council</u>: preprations for November 19-20th session in Paris.
   General Bulletin of Statistics just out.
- p. 6 Processed food stuffs : the Commission proposes to authorise compensatory taxes.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3049 :

- p. 1 ECSC-Eastern Europe trade in steel products : credit balance in favour of the Six.
- p. 2 German coal imports : increase in quota ?
  - Common energy policy : German pessimism.
  - Coordination of steel investments : statement by Chairman of Hoeseh A.G.
- p. 3 <u>Modern steel-making techniques</u> : colloquium for developping countries opens in Prague on November 11th.
  - Merger of two Belgian forms.
  - Dutch natural gas : UK link up by pipe-line ?
  - Swearing-in of High Authority President Del Bo.
    - \* See over : Trade and underdevelopment .-
    - \* EUROPE/Documents No. 216 : Economic Prospects in the Community for the second half of 1963 (summary of the EEC Commission's second quarterly report).

Luxembourg, 6th November 1963

\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1690 :

p. 1 - <u>EEC-India</u> : the formal decision to suspend duties will be taken next week.
- Energy policy : importance of social considerations.

- Eurosyndicat share index : 143.44 as against 143.31.

- p. 2 European patent : still no decision on British participation.
  - Lead and zinc : the various measures to complete the EEC's emergency programme.
  - EEC-US : Lyndon Johnson in Brussels.
- p. 3 <u>Import taxes and export rebates</u> : failure to agree on interpretation of stand-still agreement.
  - Community staff : Commission reply to parliamentary question No 80 by Mr Pedini.
  - EEC-Hong Kong : Hong Kong note on trading relations between the two parties.

pp 4/5 - Cereal price rapprochement : no official reactions from the member states yet.

- p. 5 Common cereals price : reaction of Consumers' Contact Committee.
  - Cereal price rapprochement : unofficial satisfaction in German Government.
  - OECE Economic Policy Committee : meeting in course in Paris.
  - NATO parliamentarians : Economic Committee emphasizes importance of non-tariff barriers for GATT negotiations.
- p. 6 Agricultural Conference organised by COPA in Strasbourg for November 15th.
  - Agricultural Policy : Commission discusses its progress reports for the Council.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3050 :

- p. 1 German compensatory import tax : the increase in rates is still being studied by the H.A.
  - Russian pig iron : Italian not to increase import quotas after all.
- p. 2 <u>Steel market</u>: parliamentary questions from Messts Toubeau and Nederhorst.
   <u>German coal import quota</u>: hostile reaction to any enlargment by German miners.
   Steel duties : no decision by Luxembourg Government yet on possible increase.
- p. 3 International steel market : modifications over the last decade.

\* See over : A dialogue of the deaf. -

\* EUROPE/Brief Notes No. 114 : THE GERMAN FEDERAL REPUBLIC

\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1961 :

- p. 1 Agriculture and the Kennedy Round : the two aspects of the negotiating method proposed by the EEC.
- pp 2/3 Application of agricultural regulations : the Commission justifies its policy of self-sufficiency.
- **p. 4** Common transport policy : the experts conclude their review of the situation.
- p. 5 EEC-Greece : list of products of third country origin which will not receive preferential treatment.
  - Jam industry : Italian parliamentary question about a possible EEC regulation.
  - Pigmeat regulation : validity extended till the end of the year.
  - New British Government : little likelihood will be able to play an active role in European affairs before the coming elections.
- p. 6 EFTA Economic Development Committee : to discuss problems of regional and industrial development.
  - Cultural cooperation : OECD-UNESCO agreement.
  - Italian Law 103 : the Commission to continue proceedings.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3051 :

- p. 1 Energy policy : programme of work.
  - Lorraine iron ore : special concession transport rate authorised by the High Authority.
  - American scrap : the composite-price stops on 26.50 dollars.
- pp 2/3 Mine working safety : the Permanent Organ's competence is extended from coal to iron ore mines.
  - Kennedy Round : attitude of the German steel industry.
- p. 3 Germany : Mr Fritz Neef to be new Secretary of State for Economic Affairs.
   ECSC-France : President Del Bo visits Mr Maurice-Bokanowski.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- European Parliament November session : colloquium on EEC policy in the matter of World trade.
- Meeting between Gaetano Martino and Paul Henri Spaak.
- NATO Parliamentarians' Conference : in favour of an Atlantic strategy.

\* See over : Agriculture and the Kennedy Round. -

- \* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1692 :
- p. 1 Trade agreement with Communist countries : inclusion of safeguard clause proposed.
  - FEC-Austria reports : the exploratory talks to continue in December .
  - Study of the Community chemical problems.
- p. 2 Right of establishment and the free provision of services : drafts to be submitted to the Council shortly.
  - Export aid and special import taxes in the franc zone : Commission reply to written question No. 83 (M. Metzger).
  - Regulation on the free movement of workers : pessimism on the adoption of the draft in the Council on December 2nd.
- p. 3 Community agricultural regulations : results attained in fruit, vegetables and wine.
  - "European-American Talk" on agricultural trade : to be held in Amsterdam from November 11th.
- p. 4 Preparation for the meeting of agricultural leaders : first reaction in agricultural circles.to the Mansholt plan.
  - European economic situation : ECE (UNO) positive analysis.
  - European Agricultural Guidance and Guarantee Fund : difficult progress in the exports' discussions.
- p. 5 Meeting of the Special Agricultural Committee : progress in the study of milk products, beef and rice regulations.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3052 :
- p. 1/2 Rolled product orders : satisfaction with the October market.
  - October steel production : higher than October '62 in all member States except Luxembourg.
- p. 2 W. German increase in import quotas : Federal Government defends itself against protests.
  - M. Dino Del Bo receives Liaison Offices.
- p. 2/3 Oligopolistic structure of the American steel industry.
  - .... in the Joint Supplement :
  - Strengthening of European Parliament supported by M. Paul Henri Spaak.
  - NATO Parliamentary conference : work just terminated.
  - European Movement Congress : just opened in Rome with the theme of "Europe partner of the USA".

\* See over : Austria and the Community.

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\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1693 :

- p. 1 Agricultural policy : the Council session opens on November 12th.
- pp 1/2- Community economy : expansion continues.
- pp 2/3- <u>European Agricultural Guidance and Guarantee Fund</u>: oral question with debate from Mr Birkelbach on behalf of the Socialist Group.
- p. 3 Untieing of Community aid : opposition from some member states.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3053 :

- p. 1 Community coal production : October figures up.
- pp 1/2- American iron ore industry : oligopostic structure.
- p. 2 <u>Energy policy</u>: the Senior Officials'Committee finally adopts a minimalist resolution.

... and in the Joint Supplement :

- European political union : Mr Battista has made a report for the Commission.
- Merger of the Executives : numerous difficulties brought up by the Permanent Representatives.

° The Week in Europe

Luxembourg, 11th November 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No.1694 :

- pp 1/2 <u>EEC "agricultural" session</u> : the Ministers will discuss the dairy produce, beef and rice regulations.
- p. 2 State aids in agriculture : the Commission's report is ready.
  - US-Commission : George Ball meets Professor Hallstein.
  - Dangers of radiation : publication of study by Mr. Enrico Jacchia.
- p. 3 <u>EEC construction and wood workers' statement</u> : parliamentary question No 102 by Mr Vredeling.
  - <u>AidtoItalian rice exporters</u> : Commission reply to question No 78 by Mr Müller-Hermann.
- pp 3/4 EEC-Dutch East Indies : Commission reply to question No 79 by Mr Nederhorst.
- pp 4/5 <u>Nuclear electricity costs</u>: the problem of the comparability of member states' data.
- p. 5 Trade agreements : supplementary regulation published in the Gazette.
- p. 6 EFTA Economic Development Committee : opening session in Geneva.
  - EFTA Bulletin : the importance of the Kennedy-Round for the Association and Europe.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin Nr. 3054 :

- p. 1 <u>Rise in steel duties</u>: Hellwig and Wehrer to explain the H.A.'s point of view to the Governments.
  - US-steel industry : interlocking directorates with the big banks.
  - Steel prices : alteration of price schedules by some Italian firms.
- pp 2/3 Technical research : H.A. reply to question No 87 by Mr De Bosio.
- p. 3 ECSC-Spain : first results of the High Authority talks in Madrid.
  - Benelux-Poland trading agreement : no conflict with ECSC Treaty commitments.
  - German fuel oil tax : does not cover expected costs.
  - Ilseder Hütte mine at Peine : request for High Authority contribution.
    - \* See over : Is this the time to talk of reactivating the political union?

\* Weekly appendix : EUROPE/flash.

\* EUROPE/Documents No 228 : The proposals of the European Commission for fixing a common cereals price.

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/FURATOM Bulletin No. 1695 :

- p. 1 Aids for oil prospecting : the Commission hopes to be able to take a decision before the end of the month.
  - Dumping : complaints by certain industries of the Community.
- **p.** 1-2 Council "agricultural" session : examination of the results obtained by the existing regulations.
- p.3- $\frac{4}{7}$  State aids in agriculture : Mansholt presents his report to the Council.
- p. 5 European Agricultural Guidance and Guarantee Fund : the national experts pursue their examination of the Commission's proposals.
  - American industrialists visit the Commission.
- p. 6 Italian rice exports to Germany : the problem of Italian state aids will have to be solved in the framework of a common market organization.
  - Social problems in farming : Commission reply to question No. 84 by Mr. Vredeling.
  - Switzerland : "Treffpunkt" organized to facilitate access to the Common Market.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3055 :

- p. 1-2 Community rolled steel market : new orders improve in October.
- p. 2 Rhine navigation : objections by the General Committee to the EEC Commission's proposals.
  - Ruhr coal selling agencies : special terms for "local" sales.
  - Ruhr coal : the problem of the big customers solved.
- p. 3 World steel market: surplus capacity is growing faster.
  - Steel problem : contacts between High Authority and European Commission.

... and in a Joint Supplement :

- Role of the European Parliament : new statement by Luxembourg Government.
- Furopean Parliament : the German members may be elected by universal suffrage
- Italy : M. Aldo Moro to form new Government.
- . U.K. : European problems figure in the Speech from the Throne.

\* See over : Political union again.

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° In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1696 :

- p. 1 <u>Negotiations for a revival of the Air-Union</u>: there may be a governmental meeting in February, 1964.
  - The rise of prices in Italy : EEC Council examined certain foreign tariff duties (yesterday evening).
  - Eurosyndicat : practically unchanged.
- p. 2 <u>EEC Ministers Council session</u> : examination of the dairy products regulation.
- p. 3 <u>Greek economy</u> : OECD Report states that Greek association with the EEC will help her industrialisation.
  - <u>Clothes sector requests the exclusion of the customs reductions envisaged by the</u> Kennedy Negotiations.
  - Changes in the regime of the manufactured tobacco imports : to be examined tomorrow in Brussels by governmental experts.
  - Arab oil Conference warns the Member States against any association with Israel.
- p. 4 French subsidies for fruit and vegetable exports : Commission reply to written question No. 86 by Mr. Vredeling.
  - Training of African scholarship holders : written question No. 103 by M. Pedini.
  - British Government seems willing to strengthen economic links with the Commonwealth.
  - Fall in the Danish bank rate.
- p. 5 Interpenetration.
- p. 6 Imports of raw magnesium : increase in tariff quota.
  - <u>Agriculture Committee</u> to ask the EP to take a standpoint on the Mansholt proposals.
    - In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3056 :
- p. 1 <u>The case of the addition sums</u> for delay in connection with a levy. Advocate General for a reduction.
- pp 2/3 <u>Mr Murray, deputy head of the British Delegation</u> to the Community, received by the High Authority.
  - Steel prices : certain Italian enterprises alter list prices.
  - German Colleries, as seen by public opinion.
  - <u>Increase of list prices in the Belgian collieries</u>: for domestic coal and coal used in power stations.
    - \* See over : Shall we wait for better days ?

° On today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1697 :

- p. 1 <u>Free movement for capital in the EEC</u>: believed that the EEC Commission will adopt a third directive in December.
- Customs duties on oil products : the EEC Council may discuss this next January.
- pp 1/6 Session of Agriculture Council : Examination of the "Dairy Products" draft regulation. Establishment of timetable for coming meetings. - Increase in French bank rate.
- pp 2/3 <u>Preparation for Kennedy negotiations</u> : complexity of numerous fundamental and procedural problems.
- p. 4 <u>Export of French and Dutch products to U.K.</u>: Commission reply to written question No. 85, posed by M. Vredeling.
  - <u>Access to the category "A" of Community civil servants</u> : the EEC Commission confirms the need for promotion by examination.
- pp 5/6 <u>Common policy on fats and dairy products</u>: study of financial repercussions of various possibilities of liaison.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3057 :

- p. 1 <u>Rationalisation Association of German collieries</u>: H.A. decides on its consultation note for the Consultative Committee.
- pp 1/2 <u>Lengede disaster</u> : H.A. expresses satisfaction with the rescue operations.
- p. 1 American scrap : the composite price is still at 26.50 dollars.
- pp 2/3 <u>Measures to increase protection for the steel market</u>: H.A. to contact governments.
- p. 3 <u>Re-settlement aid for 1500 Community workers</u> : H.A. has just decided to grant aid to five plants and mines.
  - M. Regul to produce a study on the power situation in Chile.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- <u>Development of Sardinia in the Common Market</u> : congress in Cagliaria from November 21 to 24.
- Timetable for 1964 sessions of European Parliament.
- The site of the European Parliament's activity ! just been invoked in Brussels by the Political Committee.
  - See over : <u>Now that the Mansholt plans have been submitted ... need</u> for all-in solutions,

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• In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1698 :

- p. 1 Agricultural policy : Mansholt defends his plans for a common cereals price.
- p. 2 German aids to oil production : the national experts study the situation.
  - State aids : two Italian and Dutch projects approved by the Commission.
    - <u>Coccoa & chocolate production</u> : rapprochement of national legislation studied by the Parliament Health Protection Committee.
- p. 3 <u>Regional policy & programmation</u>: meeting of the Economic and Financial Committee of Parliament.
  - Free enterprise & state planning : theme of Milan Round Table for October 28th.
- p. 4 <u>Draft rice regulation</u>: the purely technical problems are solved leaving the Ministers free to tackle the big political problems.
  - <u>Poultry dispute</u>: the verdict of the GATT "panel" will not be known before next week.
- p. 5 EFTA Economic Development Committee : the study of projects in favour of Portugal and Finland to be continued.
- pp 5/6 One year's application of the agricultural regulations : analysis of the BEC Commission's report.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3058 :

- p. 1 <u>Belgian coal</u>: price schedules increased as from tomorrow.

  Government representatives on COBECHAR ! provisional agreement.
- pp 1/2 Richemont power station : visit by members of the High Authority.
- p. 2 <u>Coordination of energy policies</u>: the H.A. is studying the draft resolution.
   Latin American trainees to be accepted by High Authority.
  - Heath Protection Committee of Parliament to hold next meeting at Lengede.
- p. 3 <u>Ruhr coal selling agencies</u>: H.A. refuses the definition of the Ruhr as a "local sales area".
  - Labour shortages in Dutch coal mines : likely to affect production.
  - British steel production : still on the up.

.... in the joint supplement :

<u>Common seat for Parliament</u> : ajournement of debate in Political Committee. <u>Prench economic stabilisation plan</u> : various additional measures decided on. Soviet oil : 25 million tons of crude oil bought by ENI.

° See over : Laying the deadline ghost.

#### Luxembourg, 16th November 1963

° In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1699 :

- p. 1 <u>Creation of European University at Florence</u>: first meeting to be held next week in Paris.
  - <u>Association Convention with African States</u> : unlikely to come into force by January 1st.
- p. 2 Free entry of food stuffs into France & Italy : recent tariff measures under study.
  - <u>Agricultural policy</u>: Commission decisions concerning the "Eggs" and "Fruit and Vegetable" regulations.
- p. 3 <u>EEC-Greece</u>: the Council of Association will be considering the harmonisation of agricultural policies.
  - Paris capital market : possibility of floating international laws.
  - <u>Single cereals price</u> : the Mansholt plan will be transmitted to the Parliament for information.
- p. 4 Interpenetration.
  - ° In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3059 :
- p. 1 <u>Steel industry investments</u>: parliamentary question No 104 to the High Authority by Mr Kapteyn.
- p. 2 Clabecq prices : wire rod up 12%.
  - <u>Steel & Trade Unions</u>: the Belgian metal workers' union calls for a meeting of the TU's of all the Six.
  - Technical progress in the German steel industry : address by Prof. Schenck before the annual conference of the industry.

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\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1700 :

- p. 1 <u>EEC-Ireland relations</u> : Irish Foreign Minister to visit EEC Commission on Nov. 29.
   <u>Aid to French fruit and vegetable exports</u> : French Government informs Commission that this has been suspended.
  - Italian sulphur industry : the liaison and Action Committee has just termined its report.
- p. 2 OECD Ministerial Council : 5% growth rate in 1964.
- p. 3 <u>Repayments to Italian mechanical engineering industry</u>: the Italian Government must make its intentions clear before the end of the month.
  - EFTA Council : certain origin rules freed of all time-limit.
- p. 4 <u>Associated States EEC Reports</u> : finalisation of decisions on the implementation of the Association Convention.
  - European Parliament session : aspects of social policy to be discussed at the next session.
- p. 5 Agricultural Policy : state of progress for work on the "rice" draft regulation.
- p. 6 <u>Agricultural Policy</u>: national experts begin their examination of reports on the application of regulations and aid tomorrow.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3060 :

- p. 1 <u>Spanish steel imports</u>: Taxation justified by problems in Spanish steel industry.
   Study of a specialisation agreement between the wholesale and retail coal dealers.
- p. 2 British steel market : fine rolled products reach record level.
- p. 3 "Steel" general objectives : 4 Committees to resume work in January.
  - Export of rolled products to third countries : prices remain very weak.
  - Export of iron and steel scrap to third countries : increase in requests for licences.
  - Steel market situation : H.A.-French talks.

\* Weekly Annex No. 7

\* See over : A Community cannot be realised without individual concessions.

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1701 :

- p. 1 <u>Kennedy Round and agriculture</u> : on November 2 and 3, the Council of ministers defines : the Community positions.
  - EEC-East African States : the latter ask for exploratory conversations with a view to establishing economic relations.
  - EURATOM scientific and technical Council : continuation of the Orgel project approuved.
- p. 2 <u>EEC-Greece Association Council</u> : adoption of concrete mesures and examination of the long-term problems.
  - Wage increases for investments : Italian bill.
  - <u>Plastics processing industry's Coordinating Committee</u> : transfer of their Head Quarter to Brussels.
- p. 3 The Communities and the scientific development : the Commission answers the written question No. 87 by M. de Bosio.
  - Whole milk powder imports to the F.R. of Germany : written question No. 105 by Muller Hermann to the European Commission.
- p. 4 European Agricultural Guidance and Guarantee Fund : written question No. 106 by Mr. Vredeling to the European Commission.
  - M. Marjolin analyses the present economic situation.
  - The gaz reserves of Groningue are believed to at 2,000 Billion cubic metres.
  - State aids : the Italian shipbuilding yards want the period to be extended.
- pp 5/6 <u>After the COPA meeting</u>: Examination of the temporizing attitude adopted in the meeting. M. Rehwinkel's declaration.
  - Wheat. price rapprochement : the EEC Commission demands a debate in the E.P..

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3061 :

- p. 1 Belgian coal price increase : the Belgian Government is not of the opinion of COBE-CHAR.
- pp 1/2 Economic and social situation in the Community iron mines : the Consultative Committee will meet on November 29th.
- p. 2 Ruhr "local" coal sales : the industry intends to get in touch with the H.A. again.
  - Authorised agreements and concentrations since the setting up of the E.C.S.C.
  - Wage-salary links : publication of study by the High Authority.
- p. 3 ECSC-UK steel trade : Community credit balance in September.

..... in the Joint Supplement :

- <u>Common seat for Parliament</u> : the Political Committee refrains from taking up any premature position.
- OECD Council : economic growth more satisfactory need for closer cooperation the Brasseur Plan.
  - \* See over : You can sleep peacefully, citizens.
  - \* EUROPE / DOCUMENTS : COMMUNITY ECONOMIC PROSPECTS FOR THE END OF 1963 -No. 227 FIRST ESTIMATES FOR 1964 (summary of the quarterly report of the EEC Commission)

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\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1702 :

- p. 1 Chicken dispute : the GATT panel reported to have arrived at a figure of 26 million dollars.
- pp 1/2 EEC-AOS Convention : discussion within the Interim Committee.
- p. 1 Eurosyndicat share index : 141.95 as against 143.71.
- p. 2 <u>Cereal price rapprochement</u> : Mansholt defends his plan in Rome press conference. - <u>GATT</u> : formation of ad hoc dairy produce group.
  - EEC-Turkey association agreement : Parliament will adopt an opinion next week.
- p. 3 <u>Turnover tax harmonisation</u> : statement by Permanent Conference of EEC Industries and Chambers of Commerce.
- p. 4 <u>Harmonisation of pharmaceutical legislation</u>: single German reservation remains.<sup>7</sup> - <u>Cognac wine growers</u>: Germany asks the Commission to take action on certain legal provisions within next two months.
- p. 5 <u>Common agricultural policy</u>: state of progress as regards the "beef" regulation.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3062 :

- P. 1 <u>Renewal of H.A. membership</u>: oral question N.1 to the H.A. by Mr van der Naters.
   French coal trade specialisation agreement : the H.A. gives its approval.
- pp 1/2 German compensatory import tax : new aspects of the question.
- p. 2 Steel imports from Communist bloc : formal draft decision about alignments.
  - Steel export forecasts for 1965 : 20% downward revision.
  - Belgian coal problem : the H.A. has still not received the rationalisation programme.
- p. 3 Public benefits to the coal industry in the countries of the Community.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- p. 1 <u>12th Round Table on European problems</u> : intra-European relations the basic theme.
   Atlantic Institute : Walter C.Dowling succeeds Henry Cabot Lodge as Director General.
- pp 1/2 European political union : Mr Spaak feels the time is ripe to resume the dialogue.
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- p. 2 OECD Ministerial Council : setting up of working party to study problems connected with the Un Trade Conference.

\* See over : A point of departure .-

- \* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1703 :
- p. 1 EEC-Austria relations : institutional problems to be evoked in the near future in Vienna.
  - EEC proposal on monetary and financial co-operation : no reservation from national administrations of the Six.
  - Chicken Affair : GATT opinion data and criteria developments to be extended.
- p. 2 German aid for lead and zinc : increase from 8 to 10 million DM.
- p. 3 Common organisation of the beef and veal market : main problems in suspense.
- p. 4 Fiscal harmonisation in the EEC : examination of the two reports from the experts, tomorrow in Brussels.
- p. 5 Officials Statute : written question No 7 by MM Leemans and Vals to the EEC and Euratom Councils.
  - Annual Report on the Activity of the Community : EEC Commission replies to a written question from M. Nederhorst.
  - <u>Co-operation with emergent countries</u> : parliamentary committee deplores delay in the ratification of the Association Convention.
- p. 6 Establishment of minimum level for obligatory oil stocks : EEC Commission will be able to take decision (on basis of experts report).
  - <u>M. Axel Herbst</u> : nominated Director General for External Relations to the EEC Commission.
  - EEC-Nigeria relations : exploratory talks will last till the end of next week.
  - Franco-German meetings in Paris : agricultural problems and Kennedy Round tackled.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3063 :

- p. 1/2 Long term energy prospects for the European Community : critical study by coal producers - rejection of the principle and conclusions.
  - Composite-Price : steady at 26.50 dollars.
- p. 3 Phenix-Works reduce list prices : for hot-rolled fine sheet.
  - <u>State of the Community steel market</u> : ad hoc Committee discusses the extension for 1964 of agreement on imports from Communist countries.
  - British steel industry : attacks Labour intentions on nationalisation.
  - Geographical delimitation of local sales in Ruhr basin : finalised by Ruhr colleries.

..... in the Joint Supplement :

- <u>Seat of European Parliament</u> : M. Eugène Schaus, Luxembourg Foreign Minister, states that the town of Luxembourg has been a candidate since 1952.
- Institutional problems (merger, powers of Parliament) : not to be discussed by Council in December.

\* See over : Working together and talking things over .-

\* EUROPE/Documents No. 222 : INITIAL GENERAL OUTLOOK FOR THE WORK OF THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY IN 1964

Luxembourg, 22nd November 1963

\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1704 :

- p. 1 <u>Kennedy negotiations</u> : new proposal by the Commission for solving the tariff disparities problem.
  - Free circulation of capital : second draft directive will be voted on by the Monetary Committee next week.
- p. 2 <u>GATT Committee III</u> : review pf export prospects of developping countries.
   <u>Agricultural endebtedness</u> : Commission approved study of situation in France.
   Agricultural credit in EEC : independent study published by Commission.
- p. 3 <u>Marked molecules</u> : international conference at Brussels organised by Euratom. - <u>Cereal price rapprochement</u> : CISL and CISC in favour of the Mansholt Plan.
  - French stabilization plan : Italy's protest against alleged import restrictions.
- p. 4 Agricultural policy : background of the "milk and dairy produce" regulation.

pp 5/6 - EEC-Israel negotiations : certain Israeli requests raise formidable difficulties.

p. 6 - Poultry dispute : the GATT verdict will be submitted to the Council on December 2+3.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3064 :

- p. 1 <u>Oven coke production</u> : sharp increase in October, but stocks at the cokeries still insufficient.
- pp 1/2 <u>German domestic coal imports</u>: Bonn informs the H.A. of its intention to increase quota.
- p. 2 <u>ECSC crude iron ore extraction</u>: down 10 million tons over first ten months of 1963.
   Steel prices : reductions by two Italian firms.
  - Steel market : COCOR agrees on internal measures.
- p. 3 ECSC "long term energy prospects" : premises and conclusions rejected by the Coal Producers (II).

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- University study centre of European Communities inaugurated in Paris, by Marjolin of EEC Commission.
- Franco-German talks : final communiqué.

\* See over : The MIF - An initial experiment. -

\* EUROPE/Brief Notes : BENELUX - No. 117

Luxembourg, 25th November 1963

- \* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1706 :
- p. 1 European Investment Bank : loan on the French market of 60 million French francs.
   Social problems of farmers and farmworkers : the two Consultative Committees will soon be able to come into force.
- pp 1/2 <u>33rd session of the Economic and Social Committee of the Communities</u> : the plenary session beginning next Wednesday will pass a series of opinions.
- p. 2 <u>State aids to French fruit and vegetable exporters</u> : the Commission together with the Italian Government examines the possible solutions to this question.
- p. 3 <u>Agricultural policy</u>: publication in the 0.G. of regulations concerning cereals and pork.
  - European development fund : call for tenders on Mali contracts.
  - Retail butcher prices in the E.E.C. : publication of the statistical office of the Communities.
  - Project for a European University at Florence : another meeting at Rome, mid-Februar
- p. 4 Technical aids to the Republic of Somaly : written question No. 108 by Pedini.
  - E.E.C.-Developping Countries : written question No. 109 by Pedini.
    - Flexible European Programming : study of the Councils project creating the Economic Medium Term Policy Committee.
- p. 5 <u>Committee of Directors of the Six national fiscal administrations</u> : continues the preparation of the Finance Ministers' deliberations.
  - <u>Common Agricultural Policy</u> : the ministers deliberate on the agricultural regulation in force.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3066 :
- p.1 Energy problems in the European Community : first point in the agenda of the Council of Ministers on December 2nd.
- p. 2 <u>Common Energy Policy</u>: Mr Nederhorst asks for a special conference to study the social aspects.
- p. 3 Evolution of the man-power costs in the industries of the Community.
  - Details on the specialisation agreement between the French coal mines.
  - Natural gaz in the Netherlands : reserves until the year 2000.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- <u>President Kennedy's funeral</u> : Messrs Coopé, Sassen and Rey represented the Communities.
- <u>Plenary session of the European Parliament</u> : the E.P. honours the memory of President Kennedy.
  - \* Weekly Annexe No. 8
  - \* See over : Europe's reply.
  - \* EUROPE/Documents No. 231 : THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE IN A SPEECH BY PRESIDENT LYNDON B. JOHNSON

## Luxembourg, 26th November 1963

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1707 :

- p. 1/2 EEC Agricultural Council : discussion of agricultural dossiers, including beef and veal regulation.
- p. 3 <u>Cultural cooperation among the Six</u>: Commission reply to written question from Mr. Pedini.
  - Delegation of British M.P.s in Belgium.
- p. 4 Economic aspects of the Atlantic Partnership : discussed by former publis of the College of Europe, in Strasbourg.
  - Economic and Social Committee : end of preparation for discussion.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3067 :

- p. 1 Investiture speech of High Authority President to E.P. : clear, definate positions taken. Approved by Parliament.
- p. 2 The Community in the world steel economy.
- p. 3 <u>Investment in Community steel industry</u> : High Authority replies to written question No. 100 from M. Toubeau.

.... in the Joint Supplement :

- <u>Plenary session of European Parliament</u> : M. de Block on the Community policy in the face of world trade.
- <u>Partial renewal of ECSC Executive membership</u>: High Authority wishes to coordinate the renewal of its members with the governments.
  - \* See over : Parliament and the Executives.

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\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1708 :

- p. 1 EEC-Denmark relations : meeting arranged for December 6th.
  - Alhocol monopoly : the EEC Commission recommends Germany to free imports from other member countries.

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- pp 1/2 Ministers of Agriculture of the Six : results of the past session of the Council.
- p. 1 Eurosyndicat share index : 143.02 as against 141.95.

## p. 2 - <u>Cereal market organisation</u> : proposed modifications of Regulation No 19.

- p. 4 <u>Right of establishment and free provision of services</u> : rapid introduction in mining and general manufacture approved by the European Parliament.
- pp 5/6 <u>Cereal price alignment</u>: favourable stand by the European Parliament text of the resolution voted.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3068 :
- p. 1 Steel prices : reductions in Modena schedule.
  - Parliamentary collogium on world trade : President Del Bo denies that the H.A. has any intention of going protectionist.
- p. 2 Social security systems : to be examined by Consultative Committee on December 12th
  - Wage increases in Dutch metal industries : 10% increase and two days' paid holiday as from next January.
    - ECSC Council of Ministers : the December 2nd session will be preceded by H.A. meeting on November 30th.
- **p. 3** ECSC Treaty revision and steel market situation : H.A. replies to question No. 96 and 101 by Mr Nederhorst.

..... in the Joint Supplement :

- European Political Union : meeting of Christian Democratic Party leaders of the Six in Brussels on December 10th to discuss prospects.
- <u>Community policy on problems of world trade</u> : Mr Luns will sum up the result of the Council-Parliament colloquium tomorrow.
  - \* See over : Interdependence and the international division of labour.

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	* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1709 :
p.1 -	Preparation for the Kennedy negotiations : the ECSC Council to discuss "dis- parities" problem on December 2nd. Commercial relations Italy-Russia : certain member states believe that a
-	discussion of the matter is desirable. Relations EEC-Austria : examination of institutional problems in Vienna.
p.1/2 - -	Long-term supply of natural uranium for the Cummunity : the study of this problem will be long. EEC-Council of Ministers : Monday and Tuesday next in Brussels. Chicken affair : delay in the announcement of American retaliatory measures.
p.3 -	Organisation of the cereals market : contents of the draft regulations which the Commission has drawn up on the plans for raising agricultural living standards, and the adoption of the cereal prices for the 1964/65 trading year.
p.3/4 - -	Aid to Italian rice exports to Germany : The Bonn Government submits its case to the Commission with all the facts and figures. European agricultural orientation and guarantee funds : parliamentary debate - Mr Hallstein believes that a modification of the Treaty is desirable to enable a democratic control.
p.5 - - p.6 -	European Parliament : examination of the EEC and Euratom Commissions ope- rating budgets : the Council will finally decide on the budgets in mid-december. Cereal prices and the beef market : statement by the Belgian "Boerenbond" and the European wholesale butchers' Association. Relations EEC-Turkey : the European Parliament has approved the association agreement.
	* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No 3069 :
p.1 -	The present state of the steel market : the Trade Unions of the "Six" have examined with the H.A. the possible effects of this problem.
p.1/2 -	The half yearly tariff measures which will be discussed by the governmental Representatives in the Council on December 2nd. Composite-price : steady at 26,50 dollars.
p.2 -	Restriction of steel imports from cummunist bloc countries : quantities not yet fixed. U.N. symposium on the application of modern techniques in developping countries steel industries terminated in Geneva.
p. 3 -	H.A. action in the cultural sphere : reply to question No 91 by Mr Pedini. Maritime freights and the coal market : analysis by Prof. Burgbacher. Largecoal find in Ukraine. :

... and in the Joint Supplement :

- European Parliament : nucleus of new group set up by the French UNR deputies.

- Colloquium on development of world trade : summing up from Mr Luns, appeal from Mr Martino.

\* See over : Reviving the talk of revival.

## Luxembourg, 29th November 1963

\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1710 :

- p. 1 Irrigation schemes in Greece : to be partially financed by the European Bank.
  - EEC-Algeria relations : Algerian Government prepares to commence exploratory talks. - EEC-Ireland relations : discussions between Irish Foreign Minister and EEC Commis-
- pp 1/2 <u>Court of Justice</u> : oral hearing on two cases in connection with the interpretation of Treaty Article 226 (safety measures).
- p. 2 Economic and Social Committee : gives opinions on transport, harmonisation of cocca and chocolate legislation.
- p. 3 <u>EEC-Nigeria relations</u> : Nigeria wants an agreement with the EEC which is separate from the Association Convention.
- p. 4 <u>Allocation of the funds of the European Development Fund</u> : written question No.110 by M. Pedini, to the EEC Commission.
  - EEC Committee of farmers' organisations : Manifesto presented to the European Commission.
  - Argentine meet exports suspended.
  - Technical and cultural cooperation with developping countries : written question No. 11 to the EEC Commission by Mr Pedini.
- p. 4/5 <u>Special Agricultural Committee</u> : examination of tropics to be discussed by the Ministers next week.
- p. 5 Energy Policy : the Report of the Senior Officials' Committee sharply criticised by the EEC Commission.
  - Mansholt plan : tariffications requested by the French Government.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3070 :

- p.1 <u>Energy policy</u>: the EEC Commission opposes the draft resolution to be submitted to the Ministers on Monday.
- pp 1/2 Competition rules on the steel market : comparative study by the H.A. experts.
- p. 2 Coal estimates for 1st quarter 1964 : deliveries. up, stocks down.
- p. 3 ECSC Latin America relations : High Authority reply to written question No. 98 by Mr Pedini.
  - Internal measures on steel market : positive stand by Consultative Committee.

..... in the Joint Supplement :

- European Parliament : special session on January 6th to 8th to study agricultural problems.
- W.E.U. Assembly : to meet next week in Paris the Leynen Report on economic cooperation within W.E.U..
  - \* See over : Europe and the Centre-Left Government in Italy.
  - \* EUROPE/Documents No. 224 : THE RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY THE EUROPEAN PARLIA-MENT ON THE SIXTH GENERAL REPORT OF THE E.E.C.
  - \* EUROPE/Brief Notes No. 119 : FRANCE

\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1711 :

- p. 1 Council of Ministers of the EEC : starts Monday social, customs and external relations problems on the agenda.
- p. 3 Customs duties on petroleum products : EEC experts have not finished their work Three problems outsinding.
  - <u>Rules for EEC pipe-lines</u> : national experts have reservations on the Commission's proposals.
  - <u>Preparations for the Kennedy Round</u> : the report of the Committee of the commercial negotiations simply describes the different positions.
- p. 4 Fisheries Conference : opens in London on Tuesday.
  - <u>Coloquium on housing</u> : in Brussels from December 16 to 19 on the initiative of the EEC Commission.
  - European Development Fund : Commission plans to free the aid of the Commission for 9 new investment projects.
  - <u>Special Agricultural Committee</u> : little progress on organisation of the dairy products market.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3071 :
- p. 1 The problem of the steel market : statement by M. Köhler on behalf of the ECSC producers. M. Del Bo provides assurances that the H.A. will act, if necessary by making recommendations.
- p. 2 Energy policy : E.P. adopts resolution asking for a conference on social problems.
  - <u>Court of Justice</u> : cases on the iron and steel scrap. Reading on Thursday of the decisions on the exception of inadmissability.
    - <u>Steel prices in Britain</u> : changes in maximum prices announced by Iron and Steel Board.

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\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1712 :

- p. 1 New loan floated by the European Investment Bank in Belgium.
  - Insurance-credit problems : experts report on consultation procedure and the function on the E.I.B.
- p.1/2 Organisation of beef and veal market : EEC Commission on two outstandig points.
- p. 2 Economic and Social Committee : M. Wijnmaalen becomes member of the bureau.
- p. 3 Exchange of young workers : E.P. supports the plans of the EEC Commission, and asks it to provide special programmes for students.
- p. 4 European Agricultural Guidance and Guarantee Fund : examination of the technical problems which have priority for solution by the Council.
- p. 5 European Fisheries Conference : agenda.
   Consultative Committee on ententes : will not meet this year.
   EEC and Euratom Council of Ministers : account of the first day.
  - \* In the ECSC Bulletin No. 3072 :
- p.1/3 ECSC Council of Ministers : energy policy resolution returned to the heads of depart ment, who will have to prepare new proposals. For steel, H.A. has mandate to negotiate with third countries.
- p.2/3 <u>Social Service of migrant workers</u> : H.A. replies to written question No. 92, by Mme Gennai Tonietti and MM Pedini and Sabatini.
- p. 3 List prices for hot-rolled fine sheet : the list prices after the recent reduction by two Belgian works,
  - Supplies for households : outlook for the first quarter 1964.

--- in the Joint Supplement :

- Energy policy in the European Communities : ECSC Council fails to reach agreement. Executives declare their standpoint.
  - \* See over : Economic centralism and political federalism.
  - \* The Weekly annexe

\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/FURATOM Bulletin No. 1713 :

- p.1-3 Council of Ministers of the F.E.C. : the Council requires the Commission to have a report ready for it on 16th December on the problems of tariff disparities.
- p. 3 Association of overseas territories : the Council of the E.E.C. settles the majority of outstanding problems.
  - Exports from India to the Community : the Council of the E.E.C. has allocated to India the expected tariff concessions.
  - Technical assistance for Lebanon : the six countries of the E.E.C. are coordinating their actions.
- p.4/5 Preparation for the Kennedy-round : the problem of "tariff disparities" is the subject of differences of opinion in the European Community.
- p. 5 Israel-Community relations : examination of the problems posed by the conclusion of an agreement.
  - General trends in the Council of the E.E.C.: in tariff quotas and the suspension of custom dueties.
- p. 6 Court of Justice : oral proceedings in a case concerning regulation No 3 in the field of social security.
  - Relations between the Community and Kenya, Uganda and Tanganyika : the Commission intends to have talks with these countries soon.

\* In the ECSC Bulletin No. 3073 :

- p. 1 Coal and steel problems of the European Community: ambiguous results of the ministerial discussion the High Authority is preparing for discussions with the third countries on the unification of steel duties.
- **p. 2** Firing of the 4th Thy Marcinelle furnace:
- p. 3 Economic and social problems in the iron mines of the Community: the Consultative Committee's standpoint.

... and in the Joint Supplement :

- 9th ordinary session of the W.E.U.: debate on defence problems.
- Great disappointment after negative outcome of the ministerial discussion on energy.

\* See over : Planning and free enterprise.

No	. 831		Luxembourg, 4 December 1963
			+ In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1714 :
p.	1	-	Economic and monetary situation in Germany: Monetary Committee finds a
			good balance.
p.	1/2	-	After the Ministerial discussions : detailed account of the Community
			position in the Kennedy Round.
p.	1	-	Eurosyndicat : 144.61
p.	2	-	Chicken War : E.E.C. Council finds conclusions of G.A.T.T. Panel acceptable.
		-	E.E.C. Ministerial Council : December timetable.
		-	<u>Session of G.A.T.T. Contracting Parties</u> : next session to be postponed till February.
p.	3	_	Rules of competition and public enterprises : E.E.C. Commission reply to
Þ.	1		written question No. 88 (M. Burgbacher).
			Equal pay for men and women : E.E.C. Commission reply to written question No. 97 (M. Pedini).
		-	Niger Republic restrictions on imports from countries outside the franc zone :
			E.E.C. Commission reply to written question No 97 (M. Pedini)
p.	4	-	French linen subsidies : E.E.C. Commission reply to written question No 99
-			(MM. De Gryse and Dupont).
		-	Common agricultural policy : decisions and regulations appear in 0.J. of
			the Communities.
		-	Introduction of a tariff quota for the carriage of goods by road ; adoption
			of an opinion by the Economic and Social Council of Benelux.
p.	5/6	-	E.E.C. Council: thorough discussion of the Agricultural Fund and the common
	<i>c</i>		fats policy.
p.	0	-	<u>E.E.C.</u> - African States relations : the Commission requests the extension of the transitional measurements $1060$
	-		the transitional measures passed in December 1962.
p.	1	-	Interpenetration.
			+ In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3074 :
p.	1	-	ITAISIDER changes some of its listed prices for reinforcing rods and a number
			of flat products.
		-	<u>Community steel imports</u> : consultation to begin next week.
		-	"Thyssen-Phoenix-Rheinrohr" merger : H.A. will not postpone the deadline on
			the fulfillment of the conditions to which the authorisation of the merger
			was subjected.
p.	2	-	Coal trade with third countries : forecasts for 1st quarter of 1964.
•		-	Direct tariffs between France and Western Germany: experts of the two
			countries to meet on Friday, December 6.
p.	3	_	Effects of the recent rise in Belgian coal prices : H.A. experts give their
<b>P</b> •	/		attitude.
		-	Means of action possessed by the Permanent Organ: parliamentary work.
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			and in the Joint Supplement:
		-	9th ordinary session of W.E.U. Assembly : Political and military problems.
			+ See over : The ins and outs of political union.

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\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1715 :

- p. 1 EEC-Denmark : Mr Hackkerup to discuss agricultural problems with EEC Commission, tomorrow.
  - <u>EEC-Austria</u> : EEC Commission believes it can submit its report to the Council before the end of January.
  - EEC-Greece : meetings on the export of Cypriot wine to the Community.
  - <u>Sir Richard Powell (Board of Trade</u>) : has just met personalities from the EEC Commission.
- pp 1/2 Chicken War : scope and nature of the provisional US counter-measures.
- p. 2 Preparations for the Kennedy Round : EFTA members discuss possible initiatives.
  - Committee of Economic Development : EFTA Council approves its recommendations.
- p. 3 <u>Streamlining the Sicilian industry</u> : Community Committee's proposals examined. - <u>EEC-Israel</u> : written question No 112 (Mr Metzger) to the EEC Commission.
- pp 4/5 Associated Overseas States, Dependent Territories : tariff and other measures decided by the Council of Ministers.
- p. 5 Amendment of State alcohol monopolies : EEC Commission asks West Germany to grant a 6,700 hl alcohol quota for imports from member States.
  - <u>Commercial negotiations in G.A.T.T.</u>: Mr Hijzen to represent the EEC Commission.
- p. 6 Common fats policy : examination of the Commission proposals on the arrangements for the Associated African States.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3075 :
- p. 1 Energy policy : H.A. to give a new impetus to the work of the Special Committee.
- pp 1/2 Increase in customs duties on steel products : consultations with third countries should end before the Christmas holidays. Italy has never agreed to an increase in the duties.
- p. 1 <u>Composite-price</u> : 26.50 dollars.
- p. 2 Research in industrial medicine : 71,293 dollars granted by HA.
  - Energy Policy : Ruhr collieries deplore the failure of the discussion in the ECSC Council of Ministers.
- pp 2/3 World steel market : British and Community steel-men have a common interest in a stabilisation of the market.
- p. 3 Hard coal and coke-oven coke consumption : forecasts for the 1st quarter of 1964.

.... in the Joint Supplement :

- Strengthening the European Parliament : West German Government presents a plan.
- New Italian Government : Mr Saragat the Foreign Minister.
- End of WEU session : Mr Rey wants the political union dialogue to be resumed but only between the Six, and even then subject to certain conditions.

\* See over : Synchronisation once again. -

Luxembourg, 6th December 1963

• In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1716 :

- p. 1 European Investment Bank : will raise a new loan in Germany, next week.
  - <u>EEC-Turkey relations</u> : request for special tariff and quota arrangement. - Italy-USSR commercial agreement : held compatible with the Treaty by the EEC
  - Commission.
- pp 1/2 <u>BEC-Algeria relations</u> : Mr Boualem Bessaih to inform the Commission of the Algerian desire to open exploratory conversations.
- p. 2 <u>Cereals policy</u>: the Parliamentary Committee on Agriculture appoints Rapporteurs to study the Commission's proposals.
  - Social security of migrant workers : two regulations adopted by the EEC Council.
- p. 3 <u>Preparations for the Kennedy Round</u> : the Trade Negotiations Committee needs new instructions.
- p. 4 <u>Economic recovery of the Congo</u> : examination of measures proposed.
   <u>Energy policy and nuclear power</u> : 25% of the extra power generated in the EEC between 1970 and 1980 will be nuclear.
- p. 5 <u>Social policy in transport</u>: Round Table to be organised by the Commission from December 10th to 12th.
  - World Trade and Development Conference : participation of Asia and the Far East.
  - <u>BEC-Denmark relations</u> : the discussions on agricultural problems to go on.
- p. 6 <u>Agricultural policy</u>: the Commission will maintain its proposals for the alignment of cereal prices, in one go.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3076 :

- p. 1 Investments in Community steel industry : slight recovery over last few months.
- p. 2 Customs duties on steel : effect of eventual unification at Italian level
  - time-table for consultations with third countries.
  - World steel market : examined by OECD Steel Committee.
  - Court of Justice ; a series of scrap perequation cases declared inadmissible.
  - Energy policy ! an elected Parliament might get things moving.
- p. 3 <u>Industrial medicine</u>: H.A. aid for research projects.
   <u>Steel industries in developping countries</u> : conclusion of UN symposium.

• See over The end of the year deadline and the unanimity rule.

Luxembourg, 7th December 1963

\* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1717 :

- p. 1/2 EEC Council of Ministers : the "rice, "beef" and "dairy produce" and Agricultural Fund draft regulations will be discussed next week.
- p. 3 <u>Staff movements in department of Agriculture</u> : Commission's reply to written question No. 90 by Mr. Briot.
  - <u>GATT negotiations and common cereals price</u> : to be discussed by Parliamentary Committee for External Trade.
  - Kennedy Round preparations (II) : the EEC insists that agricultural support policies must be negotiated at the same time as tarifs.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3077 :

- p. 1 Italian steel prices : listed prices modified by two firms.
  - German crude steel production : down 1.1 million tons.
  - German economics Ministry : reorganisation of the energy departments.
  - <u>Court of Justice</u> : Scrap perequation cases declared inadmissible, but the High Authority made to pay most of the expenses.

p. 2 - Future of Saar coal : local optimism.

- German local coal sales to Holland : not for the wholesalers.
- Steel duties in major producing countries : comparative table.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- Christian Democratic Parties : meeting of leaders on December 10th confirmed.
- Parliament and political union : no initiative for the moment.
- Freedom medal awarded to M. Jean Monnet.
- European Parliament : President Gaetano Martino leads a delegation to India.
- Labour costs : preliminary results of an enquiry into the ECSC industries.

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\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1718 :

- p.1/2 <u>Agricultural session of the EEC-Council</u> : progress on the rice regulation outstanding dairy product problems postponed till Wednesday.
- p. 2 <u>Aid to Turkey</u>: OECD consortium to meet on January 16th to prepare its 1964 program.
  - EEC-Tunisia relations : Mr Rey has received Mr Slaheddine el Goulli.
- p.3/4 Social services for migrant workers : reply of the EEC Commission to the written question No 92 by Mrs Gennai Tonietti and Messrs Pedini and Sabatini.
- p. 4 <u>Agricultural Management Committees</u> : the Permanent Representatives have examined their functionning.
  - Common transport policy : observations of French transport users.
- p. 5 Intra-Community trade in fresh meat : the two outstanding problems in the draft health directives.
  - Investment projects to be realized in Burundi, Mali and Cameroun : approval by the EEC Commission for 1.5 million dollars.
  - <u>Round table about EFTA</u>: Mr Gunnar Lange supports the American position, in the Goneva negotiations.
    - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3078 :
- p. 1 Increase of steel duties.
  - <u>World steel market</u>: the steel Committee of the OCDE to prepare study on the situation.
- p. 2 <u>Trade Union activity in the ECSC</u> : the Inter-trade union organisation of miners and metallurgical workers of the Six (CISL) to meet in Luxembourg on December 22nd.
  - Transport policy : towards the introduction of rates for direct road houls between France and the Federal Republic?
  - <u>Publication of transport prices</u> : the governements have not yet replied to the implementation of High Authority recommandation 1/61.
  - Modifications to the price lists of the Italian steel industry.
- p. 3 Possible unification of steel duties.
  - Just published : technical progress and training in the coal industry.

... and in the Joint Supplement :

- p. I <u>Establishment of a European University in Florence</u> : preparation for the intergovernmental convention.
- p.II <u>European Parliament</u>: Mr Battista (CD) gives up the presidency of the political Committee.
  - OFCD economic development : this subject will be discussed on the OECD conference organised in Athens from December 12th to 19th.
  - <u>Council of Europe</u> : the Committee of Ministers will meet in Paris on December 13th and 14th.
    - \* Sce over !'If the Common Market dies. "
    - \* Weekly Supplement No. 10.
    - \* EUROPE/DOCUMENTS No. 230 : Europe, an equal partner with the United

States of America.

#### Luxembourg, 10th December 1963

• In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1719 :

- p. 1/7- The agricultural negotiations in Brussels : the Ministers examine the beef regulation.
- p. 2 <u>EEC Council "agricultural" session</u>: State aids in the framework of the common dairy produce market organisation.
- p. 3 <u>Farm accounts information network</u> : question No. 113 by Mr Vredeling to the EEC Commission.
  - <u>Community economic prospects</u> : acceleration rate rate of growth rise in consumer prices becoming general.
- p. 4 <u>Commercial agreement with third countries</u> : the effects of "mutual assistance" clauses
  - <u>Technical assistance to Africa</u>: two projects in the ex-Belgian Congo and Somaliland examined by the EEC Coordination Group for technical assistance.
- p. 5 <u>Common cereal prices</u> : the problem examined by the Parliamentary Committee for Agriculture.
  - <u>European highway code</u> : a draft resolution adopted by the Transport Committee of the Parliament.
  - <u>Customs duties on petroleum products</u> : still no agreement Germany will apply nil duties from January.
  - Social policy in transport : the Round Table hears numorous reports.
- p. 6 Interpenetration.

• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3079 :

p. 1/2- Coal production : daily output up in November.

- p. 2 Community steel activity : relatively satisfactory in November.
  - <u>Coal forecasts and see freight fluctuations</u> : question No. 114 by Mr. Philipp (German CD).
  - Hot rolled sheet : 6.5% cut in the Phoenix-Works prices.
- p. 2/3- <u>Increase in steel tariffs</u>: American opposition due to desire not to harm the climate of the Kennedy Round.
- p. 3 British coal exports : prices up from 4/- to 12/6 a ton.
  - <u>Permanent body for mine safety</u>: talks between Parliamentary Community of Health Protection and the High Authority.
  - Steel market during November : record number of new orders.
  - Moselle canalisation : Grevenmacher dam and locks inaugurated.

• See over : Two overloaded weeks.

• EUROPE/Brief Notes : No. 118 : THE GERMAN FEDERAL REPUBLIC

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\* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1720 :

- p. 1 European Investment Bank : 60 million DM loan to Germany.
- pp 1/6 EEC Council "agricultural" session : state of progress of the discussions on the "rice" and "dairy produce" regulations.
- p. 1 Eurosyndicat share index : 142.34 against 144.61
- p. 2 FEC Council "agricultural" session : examination of the "beef" draft regulation. Slight progress in the regime applicable to frozen meet.
  - F.P. single ceræls price : in Paris, the Agricultural Parliamentary Committee prepares its report.
- p. 3 Modification of the Mannheim Act : the Commission answers the written question No 93 (Mr Muller-Hermann).
  - European Programmation : the CISL trade unions ask for their participation in the elaboration of the programmation.
  - Turnover tax : Belgium postpones the implementation of the first"section" of the reform.
  - Agricultural research in the six FEC Countries : the FEC Commission publishes a study.
  - Italian Communists and Nenni Socialist Trade Unions : installation in Brussels of a liason office.
- p. 4 Industrial illness : progress in a unification of national lists based on a Community list suggested by the EEC Commission.
  - FEC-Greece relations : study trip by a group of Greek industrial in the EEC.
- p. 5 <u>FEC-Latin America</u>: the cycle of information meetings will go to an end next week.
  - "European patent" : the six governments to pronounce on the three outstanding problems.
  - Aid to developping countries : positions of the experts of the Bellagio Conference.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3080 :

- p. 1/2 Record level of new orders received by the steel industry in November : due in general to increased sales to third countries.
- p. 2 Ruhr coal sales : the new arrangements may come into force on Monday.
  - Unification of steel costoms tariffs : consultations with the British.to continue next week.
- pp 2/3 Increase in steel duties : German Government wants to reactivate the discussions of the experts.
- p. 3 Harmonisation of business turnover taxes : anxieties of the coal producers.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- Meeting of the Six CD Parties in Brussels : Mr Lefèvre to take all due steps to promote a new initiative on the achievement of political union.
- Plenary session of the Council of Europe : Consultative Assembly : agenda.

\* See over : Words and deeds.

## \* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1721:

- p. 1 Council : several problems postponed.
- p.1/2 Preparation for the Kennedy-negotiations : a new "mathematical" formula is suggested by the FEC-Commission.
- p.2-7 <u>FEC-agricultural session</u> : the Ministers examine new propositions by the Commission concerning milk products. The aid problem unsettled.
- p. 3 <u>EEC-agricultural session</u> : difficulties in defining the butter groups when examining the project of 'milk products'' regulation.
  - Suspension of external tariff duties for 1964 : list of the suspensions published in No 180 of 10th December of the O.J.
- p. 4 F.P.- monetary and financial cooperation between the member states : the economic and financial Committee approves the Vals Report.
  - E.P.- preparations for the Kennedy-negotiations : the external commerce Committee goes on with the consultations, so as to be able to state its views on the Community position.
  - E.P. Energy Committee : meeting tomo row in Brussels order of the day.
  - F.P. internal market Committee : meeting tomorrow in Brussels order of the day.
- p. 5 Origin definition of petroleum products : study of a solution for the EEC-A.O.S. association.
  - Export aid to Italian machinery : the EEC-Commission insists upon their abolition by December 31st.
  - French and German alcohol monopol : publication of the Commission's Recommendation.
- p. 6 Court of Justice : conclusions by the Advocate General in a case connected with Council Regulation No. 3 on social security.
  - Economic measures in Italy : to be adopted in the economic program.
  - Presidence Council of UNICE received by the EEC Commission.

\* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin Nr. 3081 :

- p. 1 Sale of Ruhr coke : H.A. authorizes new arrangments.
  - Investments in the F.C.S.C. industries : reasoned opinions.
  - Rail transport of the semis for rerolling : special tariffs for SIDELOR.
- p.1/2 Community pig imports : cover one third of requirements.
- p. 1 Composite-price : 27 17 dollars.
- p.2/3 Common steel market : formel decisions of H.A.
- p. 3 Saar colleries : increased prices for coke oven coke and gas coke.
  - Energy policy : E.P. Committee to meet tomorrow.
  - Coal enterprises of Liège field : strike warning.

\* See over : Special relations.

\* EUROPE/Documents No 232 : The policy of the European Commission in matters of fiscal harmonisation : a statement by Mr.von der Groeben.

. 839	2	Luxembourg, 13th December 1963
		• In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1722 :
1/3	-	Agricultural session of the Council : very limited progress after a week's work - state of the different problems.
3		<u>Agricultural negotiations</u> : the Italian Government states its position. <u>Plutonium retreatment</u> : factory to be built jointly by France and Germany at Karlsruhe.
4	-	Free circulation of workers : the draft regulation will not be studied by the Ministers till the end of January. <u>Harmonisation of pharmaceutical legislation</u> : the one big problem still to be settled will be discussed by the Council in January. <u>European Parliament</u> : Extraordinary session on January 7th and 8th de- voted solely to agriculture.
_		Natural gas : new pocket discovered south of The Hague ?
5	-	<u>Economic situation of the EEC</u> : verdict of the Trade Cycle Policy Commit- tee.
		<u>Preparations for Kennedy Round</u> : examination of new Commission proposals on tariff disparities.
6		<u>GATT Contracting Parties</u> : next session from February 23rd to March 20th. <u>Social policy in transport</u> : the conclusions to be drawn from the Round
U		Table. <u>EEC-Israel relations</u> : will come before the Council in February.
		• In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3082 :
1	-	<u>Sales by alignment</u> : a plan for forbidden sales by alignment on conditions offered by communist countries to be discussed by next Council of Minis-ters.
	-	<u>Communist technical literature</u> : the High Authority will continue its work of translation and analysis for another three years.

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- UK steel production in November : up 25% on a year ago.
- German coal rationalisation associations : the High Authority consults pp 1/2 the Consultative Committee.
- German imports of coal from third countries. p. 2
  - Increase in steel tariffs : consultation with the Austrian and Norwegian Governments.
- p. 3 Technical research : the High Authority decides to extend four contracts. Industrial medecin : the High Authority adopts a new programme.
  - Steel industry training centre at Metz : a loan of 1.7 million francs Fr. is sought from the High Authority.
    - See over': Damocles' sword.
    - EUROPE/Documents No. 226 : THE COMMUNITY ENERGY POLICY SPEECHES MADE IN THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT BY REPRESENTATIVES OF THE THREE EXECUTIVES

#### Luxembourg, 14th December 1963

- \* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1723 :
- p. 1 Tariff concessions to the USSR : parliamentary question No. 116 by Mr Vredeling to the EEC Commission.
  - <u>Customs duties on petroleum products</u> : Commission reaction to the implementation of nil duties by Germany.
  - <u>Alignment of cereal prices</u> : parliamentary question No. 115 by Mr Richarts to the EEC Commission, concerning repercussions on other agricultural prices.
- p. 2 Kennedy negotiations : statement by European industry.
- p. 3 <u>EEC Council "agricultural" session</u> : the abolition of direct aids and the alignment of milk prices will dominate the coming debates.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3083 :
- p. 1 German compensatory import tax : the High Authority asks the German Government for further details about the recent increases.
- pp 1/2 World steel market : apprehensions of British steel industry about possible increase in ECSC duties.
- p. 2 <u>Construction of workers' housing</u> : the H.A. grants credits to Germany, France and the Netherlands.
  - Workers' housing in Great Britain : the National Coal Board has built more than 20,000 houses over the last ten years.
  - Energy policy : the Special Committee will resume work next week.

..... and in the Joint Supplement :

- Energy policy : discussion on Senior Officials' resolution between the Parliamentary Committee for Energy and the Interexecutive.
- <u>Council of Europe</u> : the Committee of Ministers sees the need for a period of "pre-partnership".

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# \* In to-day's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No.1724 ;

- p. 1 <u>EEC-agricultural session</u>: program of the session which will start on Wednesday.
- p.1/2 EEC-agricultural session : state aids and execution of agricultural regulations will dominate the Ministers' proceedings.
- p. 2 <u>EEC-agricultural session</u> : the Ministers have resumed today the examination of the "beef" regulation.
  - EEC-Austria relations: today opening of the last phase of the exploratory talks.
- p. 3/4 Common transport policy : slow progress by the experts.
- p. 4 University students from the emergent countries : the Commission's reply to written question No 103 by Mr Pedini.
  - Housing in the Community : a colloquy opens in Brussels with a speech by Mr Levi-Sandri.
- p. 5 Association of the EEC and the Associated African States : state of work.
   Reconversion aids to French shipyards : no objections by the EEC Commission to extending aids until the end of 1964.
  - Agricultural policy : COPA approves the draft "rice" regulation and interdependence for fats.

\* In to-day's E C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3084 :

- p. 1 <u>Mr Del Bo, President of the High Authority</u>: defends the supranational character of the ECSC, and confirms the determination to defend the steel and coal industry.
- p.1/2 French state aid to the coal industry : the H.A. asks the French government to provide further details.
- p. 2 <u>Proposed merger between Knutange and UCPMI</u> : a thorough examination is necessary.
  - Increase in steel duties : the "ad hoc steel market" Committee to meet on December 18th.
- p. 3 Steel industries of several member states have reservations about the arrangements to extend the rules of Treaty article 60 to dealers.
  - Liege coal field colleries : warning of 15 days strike.

.... and in the Joint Supplement :

- Renewal of terms of office for the President and three members of the H.A.: to be discussed by the Six Foreign Ministers in Brussels on Friday.
- Council of Europe : Messrs. Dehousse, Modinos and Smithers candidates for the succession to Mr Benvenuti.
- The international meetings in Paris.

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## \* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1725 :

- p. 1/2 <u>E.E.C. Council "agricultural" session</u> : examination of secondary problems minor progress.
- p. 3/4 Milk market : nature of aids granted in France and Germany.
- p. 4 <u>Preparation of the Kennedy Negotiations</u> : the EEC Commission proposals concerning tariff disparities approved by the Permanent Representatives .
- p. 5/6 <u>Preparation of the Kennedy Negotiations</u> : tomorrow, the EEC Commission will examine the definition of the Community position.
- p. 6 <u>Court of Justice</u> : conclusions of the Advocate General in cases 73 and 74/63 as regards escape clauses.
  - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3085 :
- p. 1 <u>List prices for reinforcing rods</u> : reduction by two Italian steel works : Ferriere Rossi and Terni.
  - Concentration and agreements between the French coastal coal dealers and briquette producers : H.A. examines the state of the operations.
- p. 2 Energy policy and miners statute : the Miners and Steel Workers Trade Union reaffirms its position.
  - Protection of the Community steel market : Spanish reactions.
- p. 3 <u>Pay-mechanisation</u>: the studies in course will be extended on the coal industry.
   <u>Court of Justice</u>: rulings of the Court in several cases concerning the scrap perequation.
  - ..... in the Joint Supplement :

- The European Parliament Mission back from India.

- Fiscal measures envisaged in the Grand-Duchy of Luxembourg.
- OECD : M. Luns, President of the Council for 1964 renewal of the IMA.

\* See over : International New Deal.

## Luxembourg, 18th December 1963

- \* In today's COMMON MARKET/EURATOM Bulletin No. 1726 :
- p. 1/6 <u>E.E.C.-Maghreb relations</u> : after Algeria and Tunisia, Morocco to wants to open exploratory conversations with the EEC.
  - E.E.C. and Euratom Councils session : adoption of certain measures concerning the fonctionning of the EEC - debate on the preparation of the Kennedy negotiations.
- p. 1 Eurosyndicat share index : 143.54 against 142.34
- p..2/3 <u>E.E.C. Council "agricultural" session</u> : the ministers continue the study of regulations.
- p. 3 German aids in favour of oil production and prospecting : the EEC Commission decides not to oppose the coming into force of these aids.
- p. 4 <u>Italian aids to shipbuilding</u> : the EEC Commission asks Italy to abolish the advantages accorded to national suppliers.
  - <u>Consultative Committee for vocational training</u> : its composition, tasks and methods of operation.
- p. 4/5 Common External Tariff : details on alterations.
- p. 5 E.E.C. Trading policy : statement by the wholesalers.
  - E.E.C.-Latin America relations : Latin American diplomatic representatives received by members of the European Parliament.
    - <u>Nuclear research</u>: Mr Jan Hendrick Bannier (Netherlands) appointed president of the European Committee for Nuclear Research.
      - \* In the E.C.S.C. Bulletin No. 3086 :
- p. 1 Increase in steel customs duties : the British Government's stand.
  - Belgian coal prices : Cobechar informs the H.A. of its intention to adopt a very flexible price policy.
    - Merger of the three Communities' Executives : stand by the Miners and Metal Workers.
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- p. 4 Dairy-fats policy link : the national positions are still opposed.
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- p. 6 <u>Renewal of the Presidents of the Executives</u> : the governments will take a decision after January 10th.
  - E.I.B. loans to Greece : first three contacts signed.
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  - Concentration in ECSC industries : two authorisations by the H.A..
  - ECSC steel production : modest recovery expected next year especially in special steeb.
- pp 2/3 ECSC coal production : may reach 227.5 million tons in 1964.
- p. 3 <u>Mr Paul Gardent appointed Director General</u> of the coal mines in the bassin du Nord and the Pas de Calais.
  - ECSC iron ore production : right down on last year's figures.
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  - EEC Council session: all elements of the final "package deal" make political decisions necessary.
- p. 2 Road project in Greece : E.I.B. signs contracts for the financing of roads.
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- p. 4 EEC-Austria relations : the report of the Council Committee must be ready by the end of January.

France authorised to exclude from Community treatment a number of products from Japan, Hong Kong, China, USSR

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- p. 1/2 Coal stocks in the collieries : principal categories of consumers in the ECSC.
- p. 2 <u>Increase in steel customs duties</u> : the consultations with third countries have gone to an end with talks with the Japonese.
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- p.1/2/3 The FEC Council of the end of December : the four factors which made success possible. The contents of the package deal. FEC relations with the United States and other third countries. Mutual concessions on agriculture.
- p. 1 The "Eurosyndicat" of 24.12 : 143.29 as against 143.54.
- p. 3 Community trade in fruit-vegetables : EEC Commission authorizes West Germany to suspend the imports of certain first category apples till Jan. 12, 1964.

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  - Composite-price : just risen to 27.83 as against 27.50 last week.
- **p. 2** Community coal output : forcasts for the first quarter of 1964.

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  - Council of Ministers of the Community : Belgium to take over the chairmanship on January Ist 1964.
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- p. 4 Relations E.E.C. African States and Madagascar : France deposits the ratification instruments for the association convention.
  - Removal of restrictions on trade in fruit and vegetables : France follows the West German example of safeguard measures against certain apple imports.
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    - Technical research on optimum operating conditions in standard cokingplant.
      - Community demand for anthracite and thin coals :6 million tons will have to be imported in 1964.
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