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1. IN A FURTHER DISCUSSION ON THE PRIME MINISTER'S VISIT
IN THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL THIS MORNING MEMBERS EXPRESSED THE
VIEW THAT A VISIT IN THE PERIOD BEFORE CHRISTMAS WOULD
HAVE MORE IMPACT HERE. AS IN LONDON A LARGE NUMBER OF PEOPLE
TAKE A HOLIDAY BETWEEN CHRISTMAS AND THE NEW YEAR WHICH MAKES
FOR SOMETHING OF A DEAD WEEK.

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