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NEW HEAD FOR U.K. OFFICES OF THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION

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After leaving the Navy and three years at Oxford he returned to journalism working on the Daily Express from 1948 to 1953 and as Editor of Truth from 1954 to 1957. Until recently, Mr Scott has been Editor of the Listener.

Mr Scott has considerable experience of television and radio. He has been a member of the BBC Panorama team and a Chairman/Interviewer for TWW, Rediffusion and Tyne Tees Television. Since 1976 he has presented the BBC TV programme "The Editors".

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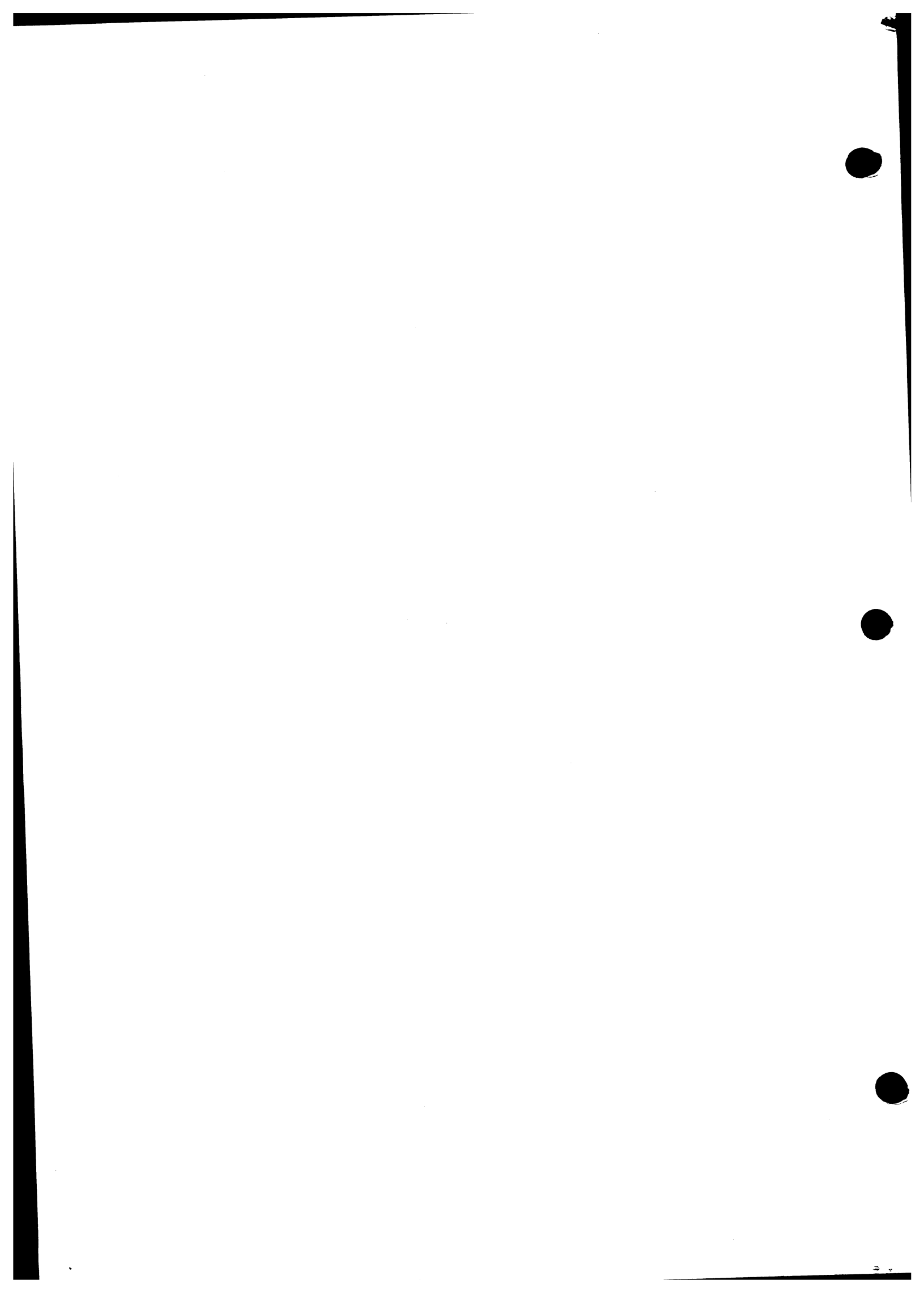
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# Commission man in UK



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## UK Offices

The Commission has offices in London, Cardiff and Edinburgh and a new one is shortly to be opened in Belfast.

Gwyn Morgan has completed his tour of duty in Wales and has taken up his new appointment in the Commission's Ottawa Delegation. His successor has yet to be announced. Stanley Budd heads the Edinburgh office.

## Euroforum

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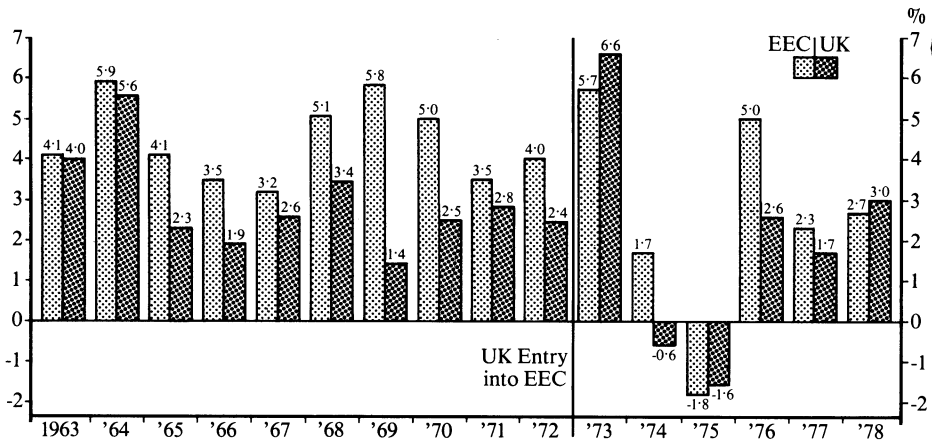
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**Table A**  
**Growth of real gross domestic product**  
**(at 1975 market prices)**



**Table B**  
**UK Export Growth**

Visible Exports as % of GDP	1966	1972	1978
To EEC 6	2.9	4.1	8.2
To Rest of World	12.5	13.9	19.0
To World	15.9	18.0	27.2

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Exports to EEC 6 as % of total exports	18	23	30
Growth of exports as % of GDP over six years			
1. To EEC 6	× 1.41	× 2.00	
2. To Rest of World	× 1.11	× 1.37	
3. Relative growth of exports to EEC (1 ÷ 2)	× 1.27	× 1.46	

**Table C**  
**UK — EEC 6 Trade Analysis**

	1972		1978	
	UK exports to EEC 6	UK exports to EEC 6	UK exports to EEC 6	UK exports to EEC 6
	Percentages Of		Percentages Of	
	Of GDP	Imports from EEC 6	Of GDP	Imports from EEC 6
Food, drink, raw materials	0.6	66	1.2	83
Fuels	0.1	24	0.7	107
Chemicals	0.4	78	1.0	82
Manufactures	3.0	93	5.3	77
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>8.2</b>	<b>80</b>

Deficits are exaggerated, since imports include transport costs.

**Table D**  
**UK Trade with EEC 8**

