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Statement by the Prime Minister, The Rt. Hon. Sir Robert Menzies

His Excellency the Governor-General, Viscount De L'Isle, V C., P.C., G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O., K.St.J., will relinquish the office of Governor-General of Australia on 6th May, 1965, when he will leave Australia to return to the United Kingdom.

His Excellency Sir Henry Abel Smith, K.C.M.G., K.C.V.O., D.S.O., K.St.J., will be sworn in as Administrator of the Commonwealth on 7th May, 1965.

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27th April, 1965: