MESJAGE FOR PUBLIC FAREWELL IN SYDNEY ON OCTOBER 24, 1963, TO COMMISSIONER F.L. COUTTS, GENERAL-ELECT OF THE SALVATION ARMY

Salvationists and their friends have reason to be proud of the election of Commissioner Coutts to the international leadership of the Army.

It is a recognition of his great worth. Perhaps it is also a recognition of the advantages conferred on him both by his Scottish birth and the six years he has spent in Australia.

I offer him my congratulations and my best wishes in his new field of endeavour.

R. G. MENZIES PRIME MINISTER