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VISIT BY BRITISH MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE

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

The Rt. Hon. T.F. Peart, M.P., British Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, will visit Australia in September at the invitation of the Australian Government. Mr. Peart will be accompanied by his wife.

Sir Robert said that the Government attached a great deal of importance to the visit as the United Kingdom is a major market for Australian produce.

On present planning the visit will be for about twelve days, during which Mr. Peart will meet Ministers, officials and primary producer representatives. Mr. Peart's itinerary will also include opportunities for him to see something of Australian agriculture.

MELBOURNE,
30th July, 1965.