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AUSTRALIAN PAINTING FOR QUEEN MOTHER

At Government House in Canberra today, the Prime Minister, Mr. Holt, presented The Queen Mother with a painting by the Australian artist, Clifton Pugh.

Called "Burnt Landscape", it is one of two Australian paintings being given to The Queen Mother by the Government and people of Australia to mark her current visit.

The second painting, "Storm Approaching Marree", is by Kenneth Jack and was painted in 1965. The Pugh work is dated 1964 and depicts the aftermath of a bushfire.

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