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VISIT BY MR DEAN RUSK

Mr Dean Rusk, Secretary of State of the United States, will be attending some international meetings in New Zealand next week. He suggested since he will be in New Zealand anyway at this particular time, he would like to take the opportunity which his visit to New Zealand presents to extend his visit to Australia and call in to visit the new Prime Minister.

He will arrive in Canberra on the evening of Friday 5 April, remain throughout Saturday, and leave again on the Sunday (7th).

Mr Gorton said today that he was looking forward very much to seeing Mr Rusk again in Canberra. It would be a good opportunity for him to get to know Mr Rusk better.

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