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MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR THE LATE LORD SLIM

A Memorial Service for the late Lord Slim who was Governor-General of Australia from 1953 to 1960 is to be held at St. John's Church, Canberra, at 12.00 noon next Wednesday (24th), and will be attended by the Governor-General and Lady Hasluck.

The Right Reverend K. J. Clements, Bishop of Canberra and Goulburn will preside and the Right Reverend R. G. Arthur, Bishop of Grafton, will preach at the Service which is to be conducted by the Rector, Archdeacon F. M. Hill.

The Prime Minister, Ministers and Members of Parliament will be among the congregation.

The Service will be amplified to the Church grounds where additional seating will be available.

Flags will be flown at half-mast from all Commonwealth buildings from 8.00 a. m. until 1.00 p. m. next Wednesday.

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Background Note :

Lord Slim died in London on 14 December last year.