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THURSDAY APRIL 10, 1958.

THE DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT THE PRIME MINISTER, THE RIGHT HONOURABLE JOHN G. DIEFENBAKER, HAD APPOINTED THE HONOURABLE ELLEN L. FAIRCLOUGH, SECRETARY OF STATE, AS SPECIAL AMBASSADOR FOR THE INAUGURATION OF THE PRESIDENT OF ARGENTINA, HIS EXCELLENCY ARTURO FRONDIZI, ON MAY 1ST NEXT. VARIOUS OTHER CEREMONIES IN CONNECTION WITH THE INSTALLATION OF PRESIDENT FRONDIZI WILL TAKE PLACE IN BUENOS AIRES BETWEEN APRIL 28 AND MAY 3.

THE PRIME MINISTER STATED THAT MRS FAIRCLOUGH WILL CARRY WITH HER HIS PERSONAL GREETINGS AND WARM REGARDS FOR PRESIDENT FRONDIZI AND THE GOOD WISHES OF THE CANADIAN PEOPLE WHO WILL SHARE IN THE HAPPINESS OF THE ARGENTINE NATION ON THIS OCCASION. MR DIEFENBAKER ALSO EXPRESSED HIS ASSURANCE THAT MRS FAIRCLOUGH'S MISSION WOULD SERVE TO ENHANCE AND DEEPEN THE UNDERSTANDING AND FRIENDSHIP ALREADY EXISTING BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES.

IN ADDITION TO MRS FAIRCLOUGH, WHO WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY HER HUSBAND, THE CANADIAN SPECIAL MISSION WILL INCLUDE THE CANADIAN AMBASSADOR TO ARGENTINA, MR. L. PHILIPPE PICARD, Q.C., AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE CANADIAN EMBASSY IN ARGENTINA.