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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 1956.

The Honourable H.E. Bolte, the Premier and Treasurer of the State of Victoria, Australia, will arrive in Ottawa on Tuesday June 12, at Uplands on TCA Flight No. 304 from Chicago at 5:20 p.m. Mr. Bolte will be accompanied by his wife and by his Secretary, Mr. E.W. Coates. The party will stay at the Chateau Laurier.

His Excellency Sir Douglas Copland, K.B.E., C.M.G., the Australian High Commissioner, and Lady Copland will entertain informally at dinner on Tuesday evening and the High Commissioner will give a luncheon for Mr. Bolte at the Rideau Club on Wednesday noon. While he is in Ottawa, Mr. Bolte will call on several government officials.

On Wednesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Bolte will be the guests of the Right Honourable C.D. Howe and Mrs. Howe at the dinner which they are giving in honour of the New Zealand Prime Minister and his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Bolte will leave by TCA for Toronto after lunch on Thursday, June 14.