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Commonwealth Freedom

6th July 1956

London: Historic Guildhall pageantry greets Commonwealth Leaders, Mr Menzies, the Australian Premier, and Canada's Mr St. Laurent...

The occasion was the conferment of the Freedom of the City of London upon two of their colleagues, Mr Nehru, the Indian Premier and Mr Holland of New Zealand, who were later welcomed as fellow-citizens by the City Chamberlain. SOUND.

In his reply of thanks, Mr Nehru outlined the progress of his people since they gained independence. SOUND

Mr Holland ~~then~~ spoke of his country's past and present debt to Britain. SOUND.

And finally, Mr Holland pledged New Zealand's continuing loyalty to the Mother Country. SOUND.