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GENERAL SIR JOHN MONASH MEMORIAL EXECUTIVE

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ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO GRAVE OF GENERAL SIR JOHN MONASH

Confirming Press announcements, it is notified that in view of the large number of Navy, Army and Air Force personnel on service, the extensive call up of manpower, and transport difficulties, etc., no large-scale parade will be held this year in connection with the annual pilgrimage to the grave of General Sir John Monash at Brighton Cemetery.

In order, however, to preserve the continuity of the tribute to the memory of this distinguished soldier—paid annually since his death—a curtailed ceremony will be held at the grave at 3.30 p.m., on Sunday, 31st October.

Past and/or present members of the Defence Forces, Returned Soldiers, Volunteer Defence Corps, Institutions and Organizations etc., with which the late Sir John Monash was associated, and Citizens, are invited to assemble at the grave at 3.15 p.m.

A short service will be conducted by Chaplain J. Danglow, V.D., M.A. The Commemorative address will be delivered by Colonel G. I. Stevenson, C.M.G., D.S.O., V.D., at the conclusion of which "Last Post" and "Reveille" will be sounded.

With a view to preventing trespass on, or damage to graves and their surroundings, it is specially requested that those attending the Pilgrimage should occupy cemetery pathways.

J.P. McGlinn

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