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**CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS  
 OF KNIGHTHOOD.**

*St. James's Palace, S.W.1.  
 2nd January, 1950.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to signify His Majesty's intention of conferring Peerages of the United Kingdom on the following:—

*To be a Viscount:—*

The Right Honourable Albert Victor ALEXANDER, C.H., LL.D., M.P., Minister of Defence. First Lord of the Admiralty, 1929-1931; 1940-1945; 1945-1948. Member of Parliament for the Hillsborough Division of Sheffield, 1922-1931; and since 1935.

*To be Barons:—*

Sir (Alexander) Steven BILSLAND, Bt., M.C., LL.D. For public services in Scotland.

Thomas William BURDEN, Esq., C.B.E., J.P., M.P., Member of Parliament for the Park Division of Sheffield since 1942. Second Church Estates Commissioner since 1945. For political and public services.

Leslie HADEN-GUEST, Esq., M.C., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., M.P., Member of Parliament for Southwark North, 1923 and 1924, and for Islington North since 1927. For political and public services.

Joseph HENDERSON, Esq., J.P., M.P., Member of Parliament for the Ardwick Division of Manchester, June-October, 1931, and since 1935. A Lord Commissioner of H.M. Treasury since 1945.

The Right Honourable John WILMOT, M.P., Member of Parliament for East Fulham, 1931-1935; for Kennington, 1935-1945; and for Deptford since 1945. Minister of Supply, 1945-1947. For political and public services.

The KING has been graciously pleased to declare that the undermentioned shall be sworn of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council:—

Sir Ronald Ian CAMPBELL, G.C.M.G., C.B., His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at Cairo.

The Honourable Edward James HOLLOWAY, lately Minister for Labour and National Service in the Commonwealth of Australia.

The Honourable Don Stephen SENANAYAKE, Prime Minister and Minister of Defence and External Affairs of Ceylon.

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The KING has been graciously pleased to signify His Majesty's intention of conferring the Honour of Knighthood upon the following:—

Robert Henry ADCOCK, Esq., C.B.E., Clerk of the Lancashire County Council.

Colin Skelton ANDERSON, Esq., President of the Chamber of Shipping of the United Kingdom.

Harold Esmond Arnison BOLDERO, Esq., D.M., F.R.C.P., Dean of the Medical School, Middlesex Hospital. Registrar, Royal College of Physicians.

Professor Arthur Lyon BOWLEY, C.B.E., Sc.D., D.Litt. For services to the study of statistics and economics.

Leslie Stuart BRASS, Esq., C.B.E., Legal Adviser, Home Office.

Andrew Meikle BRYAN, Esq., M.I.Min.E., H.M. Chief Inspector of Mines, Ministry of Fuel and Power.