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- To be Ordinary Knights Commanders of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order :---
- The Honourable Richard Kenneth GREEN, Senior Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court, State of Tasmania.

- The Honourable Wilfrid Selwyn Kent HUGHES, M.V.O., O.B.E., M.C., E.D., Minister for the Interior and for Works, Commonwealth of Australia, 1951-55; Chairman of the Organising Committee for the Olympic Games in Melbourne, State of Victoria, since 1951.
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- Norman Dean CARLYON, Esq., O.B.E., a Member of the Organising Committee for the Olympic Games in Melbourne, State of Victoria.
- Robert Eric CASTELL, Esq., a prominent member of the United Kingdom business community in Madras, India.
- The Honourable Patrick Leslie COLEMAN, formerly Minister of Transport, State of Victoria; services rendered in connection with the Olympic Games in Melbourne.
- Major Clifford Hamilton BOWEN-DAVIES, M.C., E.D., lately Federal Comptroller and Auditor-General Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland.
- James Wright FERGUSON, Esq., Member of the Melbourne City Council, State of Victoria, 1916-56.
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- George Wellington Rex L'ANGE, Esq., M.B.E., Member of the Federal Assembly, Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland.
- Lewis LUXTON, Esq., O.B.E., Deputy Chairman of the Organising Committee for the Olympic Games, Melbourne, State of Victoria.
- John Murdock MAIN, Esq., Director of Public Works, State of New South Wales.
- Maurice Arnold NATHAN, Esq., Chairman of the Melbourne City Council's Special Committee and Civic Committee for the Olympic Games, State of Victoria.
- Cecil Leonard ROBERTSON, Esq., O.B.E., formerly a Member of the Natural Resources Board, Southern Rhodesia.
- Edgar Stephen TANNER, Esq., a Member of the Legislative Assembly, State of Victoria; Honorary Secretary of the Organising Committee for the Olympic Games in Melbourne.
- Arthur Clement THOMPSON, Esq., M.C., Attorney-General for Basutoland, the Bechuanaland Protectorate and Swaziland.
- William Hovell TURNER, Esq., C.I.E., M.C., formerly Director of Indian Accounts, London.
- William Thomas James UREN, Esq., a Member of the Organising Committee for the Olympic Games in Melbourne, State of Victoria.
- Ralph WHISHAW, Esq., Ch.M., F.R.C.P., a prominent physician in Hobart, State of Tasmania.
- The Right Reverend Arnold Lomas Wylde, Bishop of Bathurst, State of New South Wales.
- To be Ordinary Officers of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order :---
- Robert Allan, Esq., Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Cranborne Hostel for new settlers in Southern Rhodesia.