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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
WASHINGTON

December 26, 1940



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I have received your note of December 21, 1940 inquiring whether the appointment of the Right Honorable the Viscount Halifax, K.G. as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Great Britain to the United States in succession to the late Marquess of Lothian would be agreeable to this Government.

The appointment of Lord Halifax in the above mentioned capacity is satisfactory to this Government, and the American Embassy at London has already been so informed by telegraph.

Accept, Sir, the renewed assurances of my high consideration.

For the Secretary of State:

Mr. N. M. Butler, C.V.O.,

British Chargé d'Affaires ad interim.

