MEMORIAL MEETING FOR
MR. LIQUAT ALI KHAN

MR. CHURCHILL'S TRIBUTE

The King was represented at the memorial meeting for Mr. Liaquat Ali Khan at Caxton Hall, Westminster, yesterday. The Prime Minister was represented by General Lord Ismay, Secretary of State for Commonwealth Relations, and a large gathering included many members of the Diplomatic Corps and Commonwealth representatives.

The meeting opened with a reading of a passage from the Koran and its translation into English by the Imam of the Woking Mosque, Dr. Abdulla. Tributes were paid to Mr. Liaquat Ali Khan by the High Commissioners for Pakistan and India, the Egyptian Ambassador, Mr. C. R. Aflao, O.M., M.P., Lord Ismay, and Mr. P. C. Gordon-Walker, M.P.

Lord Ismay read a message from the Prime Minister, who said that during the four years that Mr. Liaquat Ali Khan was Prime Minister of Pakistan "he earned the respect and affection of all those with whom he came in contact, not only in our own country, but certainly in the Commonwealth which he did so much to serve, but also in the whole world.

"On this sad occasion we wish to extend our sympathy to all his compatriots on the death of a great and revered leader. To those who have been called by his death to fill new and high offices in the Government of his country we send assurances that we shall work with them in the future no less closely and cordially."

Among others present were:

The Marquess of Reading, Vice-Admiral Lord Mountbatten of Burma and County Londonderry, Colonial Wawel, the Earl of Northcliffe, the Earl of Ironbridge, the Earl of Kimberley, Lord and Lady Leathers, Lord Rothschild, Lord and Lady Sackville, Lord and Lady Glenconner, Lord and Lady Ismay, Lord and Lady Nathan, Lord and Lady Gunterbock, the Earl and Countess of Lonsdale, the Earl and Countess of Lonsdale, Lord and Lady Gifford, and Mrs. Howard, Lady Elizabeth Lumley, Major Rayden and Lady Dorothy Liddell.


The Mayor of Woking, the Mayor of Battersea, and Mayor of Chelsea, Major-General Guy Salbatory-Jones, Mr. John Boyd-Carpenter, M.P., and Mrs. Boyd-Carpenter, Mr. J. G. Foster, K.C., M.P., Receiver-General A. R. Low, M.P., and Mrs. Low, Mr. L. D. Gilmans, M.P., and Mrs. Gilmans, Commander Allen Noble, M.B., Mrs. P. C. Glubb, President of the Northern Branch of the L.H.L., Mrs. D. P. G. Martin, Air Vice-Marshal and Mrs. Percy-Knee, Mr. and Mrs. Ian Trench, the Hon. Mrs. Leslie Garnatt, Mr. Paul Hollywood, Air Vice-Marshal R. L. B. Atherley, and Mrs. C. W. Butler Lieutenant-Colonel J. M. Higgs, Professor and Mrs. George Hyland, Colonel J. A. Hyland, Taylor, Mrs. Commander Mogridge, Major-General C. P. Moore, Mrs. A. D. Parker, M.P., and Mrs. D. F. Parker, Mr. J. M. Wallace (Chase National Bank), and representatives of the L.C.C., Anglo-Eastern Association, India, Pakistan, and Burma Association, President of the Women's Volunteer and Literary Association, Commonwealth Parliamentary Association, Indian Chamber of Commerce and other bodies associated with Pakistan, India, and Burma.