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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1962

His Excellency W. Walton Butterworth today presented to His Excellency the Governor-General, his Letter of Credence as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America. The ceremony took place at Government House. The Chief of Protocol, Mr. Henry F. Davis, presented the Ambassador to His Excellency the Governor-General.

Mr. A.E. Ritchie, Assistant Under-Secretary for External Affairs, and Mr. Esmond Butler, Secretary to the Governor-General, were in attendance on the Governor-General on this occasion.

The Ambassador was accompanied by the following members of the United States Embassy in Ottawa:

Mr. Ivan B. White, Minister

Mr. Francis A. Linville, Counsellor

Mr. Rufus Z. Smith, Counsellor

Colonel Charles J. Parsons, Army Attaché

Colonel Clarence R. Webb, Air Attaché

A Foreign Service Officer since 1928, Mr. Butterworth served a tour of duty at the United States Embassy in Ottawa in the early years of his career. He has also served in Singapore, Spain, Portugal and China. For seven years prior to World War II, he was posted to London, serving part of that time under President Kennedy's father, Joseph P. Kennedy, who was United States Ambassador to Great Britain. Mr. Butterworth is married and has two children.