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DEATH OF LORD ATTLEE

Tribute from the Prime Minister, Mr Harold Holt

Lord Attlee had an honoured place in modern history. He was a political leader whose statesmanship rose above any partisan allegiance.

Practical common sense and wisdom established him firmly as a leader of the British Labor Party at a critical period of his nation's history.

His wartime co-operation in the Coalition Government enabled a concentrated national support for the nation's policies, not only in defence of Britain, but in the cause of freedom throughout the world.

He will be widely mourned as he was widely respected.

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