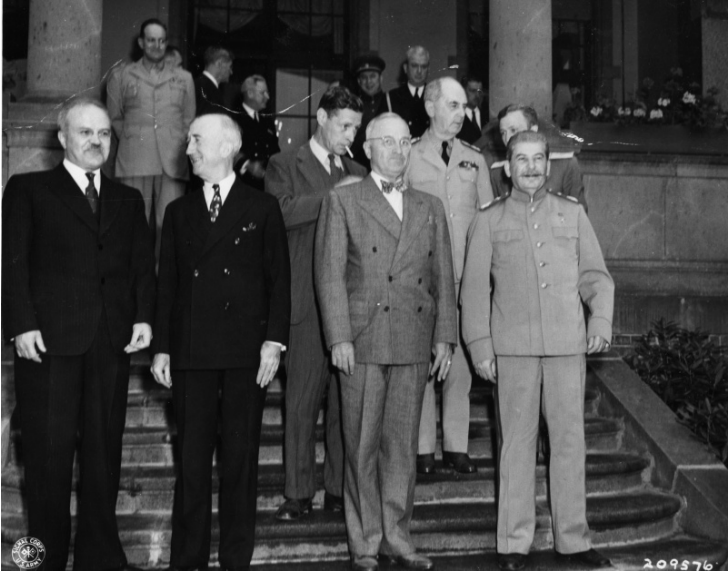


Stalin meets President Truman at the Potsdam Conference



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Description

Soviet Prime Minister Josef Stalin meets President Harry S. Truman for the first time at the Little White House during the Potsdam Conference. The Little White House is the residence of President Truman during the conference. Front row, from left to right: Vyacheslav Molotov, Soviet foreign minister; Secretary of State James Byrnes; President Harry S. Truman; and Prime Minister Josef Stalin. Back row, left to right: Charles Bohlen, assistant to Mr. Byrnes; Admiral William D. Leahy; and V. N. Pavlov, Russian interpreter. Standing at the top of the stairs are Major General Harry Vaughan (left) and Captain James Vardaman (second from the left of the pillar on the right). Others are unidentified. From Potsdam album, 1945

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People Pictured Bohlen, Charles E. (Charles Eustis), 1904-1973 Byrnes, James F. (James Francis), 1882-1972
Pavlov, V. N. (Vladimir Nikolayevich), interpreter for Joseph Stalin Leahy, William D. (William Daniel), 1875-1959
Molotov, Vyacheslav Mikhaylovich, 1890- Stalin, Joseph, 1879-1953 Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972
Vardaman, James K. (James Kimble), 1894-1972 Vaughan, Harry H., 1893-1981

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