

Truman decorates World War II veterans in White House



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Description

President Harry S. Truman (standing in front with a veteran) decorating one of twenty-eight servicemen who received Medals of Honor in a ceremony in the East Room of the White House. First Lieutenant Cecil H. Bolton is seated far left, front row. Behind President Truman at the table with the medals is Major General Harry Vaughan.

Date(s)

August 23, 1945

8x10 inches (21x26 cm)

Black & White

Keywords

Award presentations

Presidents

Soldiers

Veterans

HST Keywords

Truman - Awards - Giving - Congressional Medal of Honor; White House - Rooms - East Room

People Pictured

Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972

Bolton, Cecil H. (Cecil Hamilton), 1908-1965

Vaughan, Harry H., 1893-1981

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