

**Description**

New Secretary of War Robert P. Patterson (left) is congratulated by the outgoing Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson (right) who has just received the Distinguished Service Medal from President Harry S. Truman (not pictured) In center back is General Jacob L. Devers. All others are unidentified. From the scrapbooks of Matt Connelly, Vol. 1.

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People Pictured Devers, Jacob L. (Jacob Loucks), 1887-1979 Patterson, Robert Porter, 1891-1952 Stimson, Henry L. (Henry Lewis), 1867-1950

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