

# President Truman Announcing Surrender of Japan



## Description

President Harry S. Truman announcing the surrender of Japan, ending World War II, to assembled reporters in the Oval Office. Journalist Vivianne Lovell of Agence France-Presse stands in the striped dress on the left. Seated behind President Truman are John Snyder, Admiral William D. Leahy, and Secretary of State James Byrnes.

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**People Pictured** Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972    Byrnes, James F. (James Francis), 1882-1972    Leahy, William D. (William Daniel), 1875-1959    Snyder, John W. (John Wesley), 1895-1985    Kerr, Vivianne Lovell, 1918-2004

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