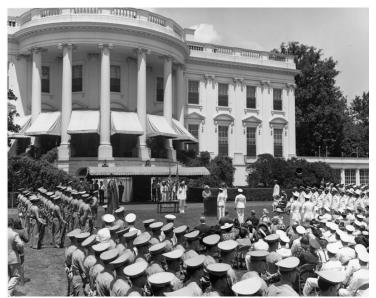
Ceremony on the South Lawn of the White House



Description

Ceremony on the South Lawn of the White House in which President Harry S. Truman awarded Presidential Unit Citations to eight U.S. Navy aircraft carriers for their heroic service during World War II. The aircraft carriers honored were the BELLEAU WOOD, BUNKER HILL, CABOT, ESSEX, HORNET, LEXINGTON, SAN JACINTO, and YORKTOWN.

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People Pictured Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972

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