President Truman Receives Rock from Fort Corregidor



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People Pictured Elizalde, J. M. (Joaquin Miguel), 1896-1965 Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972 Acosta, Manuel Peck, Harry

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Description

President Harry S. Truman (facing camera, fourth from left) in the Oval Office, posing for photographers as he accepted as a gift from the people of the Philippines a rock from Corregidor. The Rock was presented by a delegation including the Ambassador from the Philippines to the United States, Joaquin Elizalde (facing camera, fifth from left); Colonel Harry Peck, a survivor of the Bataan Death march (second from left); and Major Manuel Acosta, a Filipino veteran who lost his arm (third from right). All others are unidentified.

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