President Harry S. Truman Awarding Medal of Honor



Description

President Harry S. Truman awards the Congressional Medal of Honor to Lieutenant Carlton R. Rouh. Lt. Rouh was given the medal for risking his life to save two comrades by throwing himself in front of a Japanese grenade. Others in the background are unidentified.

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People Pictured Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972 Rouh, Carlton Robert, 1919-1977

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