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## Nazis Reveal Surrender To Western Allies

The unconditional surrender of Germany to the Western Allies and Soviet Russia was announced by German high command yesterday morning.

The official announcement from the Allied governments are expected to come simultaneously from Washington, London and Moscow today.

The British Ministry of Information, proclaiming that today would be 'Victory in Europe Day,' said Prime Minister Churchill would make 'an official announcement' at 3 P.M.

President Truman said he conferred with the British and Russian governments that no surrender proclamation would be made 'until simultaneous announcements could be made by the three governments.'

King George VI of England gave a cablegram last night congratulating him and his armies on the 'complete and crushing victory' in Europe.

The Associated Press broke the news of the surrender in a story from Rheims, France, that the Allies had announced Germany's surrender at 0241 hours yesterday morning. It said the surrender took place in the little red school house that is Gen. Eisenhower's headquarters.

Gen. Eisenhower's army chief of staff, Gen. Omar Bradley, was reported to have been in the room when the news was reported. Gen. Bradley apparently was promoting the news from Washington and London, it appeared that arrangements were being made for the surrender simultaneously in the three cities. This seemed to be the case after Truman's statement and news stories from London saying that Truman, Churchill and Stalin had conferred by telephone during the day.

Supreme Headquarters said it attached no such story to be sent out. However, the American Broadcasting Company in New York City said it received the news from the New York City office at 10:15 P.M. on May 7, 1945.

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