

Post War Issues



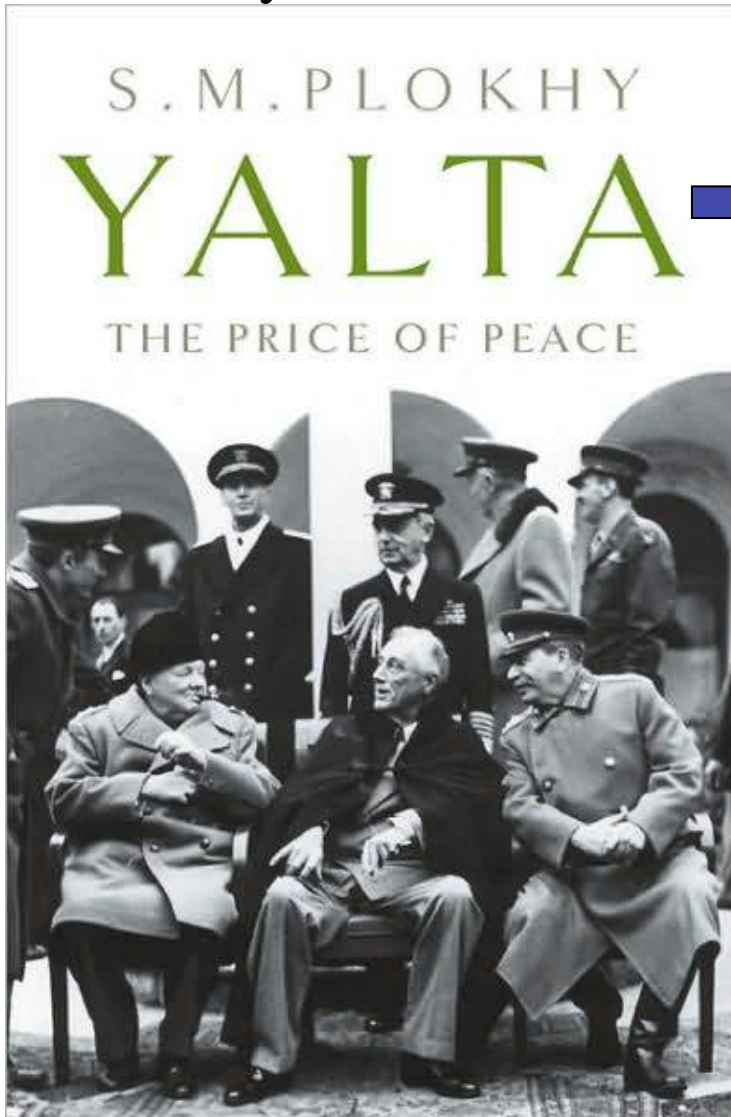
Do the Allies have a moral responsibility to rebuild Europe and Japan after the war?

Yalta Conference

- The “Big Three” Churchill, Roosevelt, & Stalin, meet in Feb. 1945, four months before the defeat of Nazi Germany.
- Goal: Make a plan of what to do with Germany after the war.



February, 1945



Decide to divide Germany into 4 zones

Nuremberg War Trials



- After discovering the death camps, the Allies put 24 Nazi leaders on trial for “crimes against humanity” and war crimes.



Nuremberg Trials



Occupation of Japan



- After Japan's surrender, the U.S. forces under the command of General Douglas MacArthur occupied Japan and made basic changes to the government.

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That's Fit to Print"

The New York Times.

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Thunderstorms, warm, humid; clear
and cooler tonight. Fair tomorrow.
Temperatures Yesterday—Max., 84; Min., 71
Forecast today, 8-94 A. M.; Sunset, 7:35 P. M.

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JAPAN SURRENDERS, END OF WAR! EMPEROR ACCEPTS ALLIED RULE; M'ARTHUR SUPREME COMMANDER; OUR MANPOWER CURBS VOIDED

HIRING MADE LOCAL

Communities, Labor and
Management Will
Unite Efforts

6,000,000 AFFECTED

Draft Quotas Cut, Serv-
ices to Drop 5,500,000
in 18 Months

Third Fleet Fells 5 Planes Since End

By The Associated Press.
GUAM, Wednesday, Aug. 15.—
Japanese aircraft are approach-
ing the Pacific Fleet off Tokyo
and are being shot down, Ad-
miral Chester W. Nimitz an-
nounced today.

Five enemy planes have been
destroyed since noon today,
Japanese time, or 11 P. M. EWT.
Gen. Douglas MacArthur has
been requested to tell the Japa-
nese that American defense
measures require the Third
Fleet to destroy any Japanese
planes approaching United States
warships.

GUAM, Wednesday, Aug. 15
(CE)—When Admiral Halsey re-
ceived word of Japan's capitu-
lation today, he sent this message

ALL CITY 'LETS GO'

Hundreds of Thousands
Roar Joy After Victory
Flash Is Received

TIMES SQ. IS JAMMED

Police Estimate Crowd
in Area at 2,000,000—
Din Overwhelming

PRESIDENT ANNOUNCING SURRENDER OF JAPAN



YIELDING UNQUALIFIED, TRUMAN SAYS

Japan Is Told to Order End of Hostilities,
Notify Allied Supreme Commander
and Send Emissaries to Him

MACARTHUR TO RECEIVE SURRENDER

Formal Proclamation of V-J Day Awaits Signing
of Those Articles—Cease-Fire Order
Given to the Allied Forces

Key Questions ! pg. 585-587

Yalta

- What did Stalin want?
- What did Roosevelt want?
- What did they decide?

Nuremberg

- Who were put on trial?
- What was the verdict of the court?
- What “principle” was established?

Japan

- Who was put on trial? What verdicts?
- What changes did MacArthur make to Japan?